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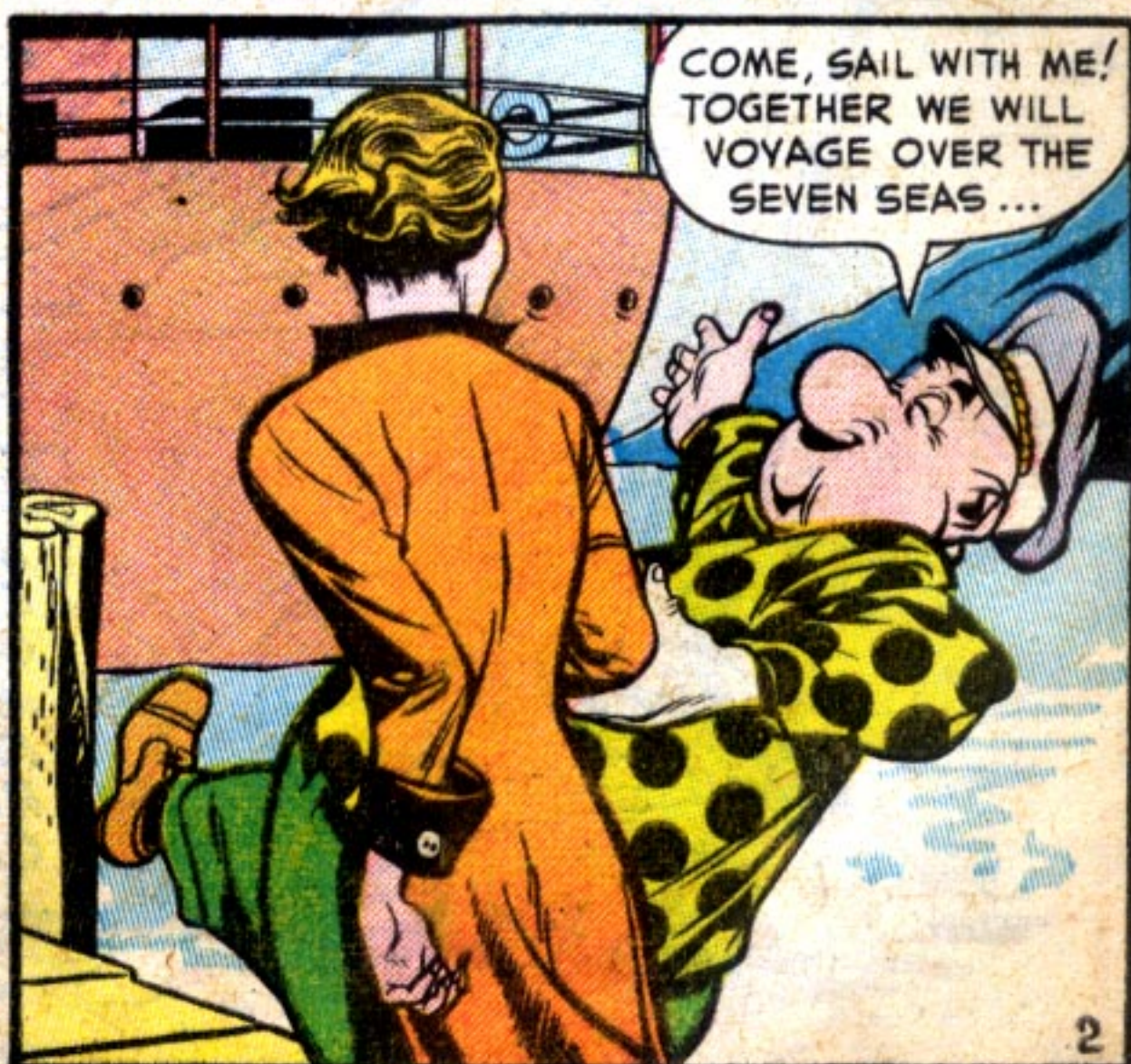
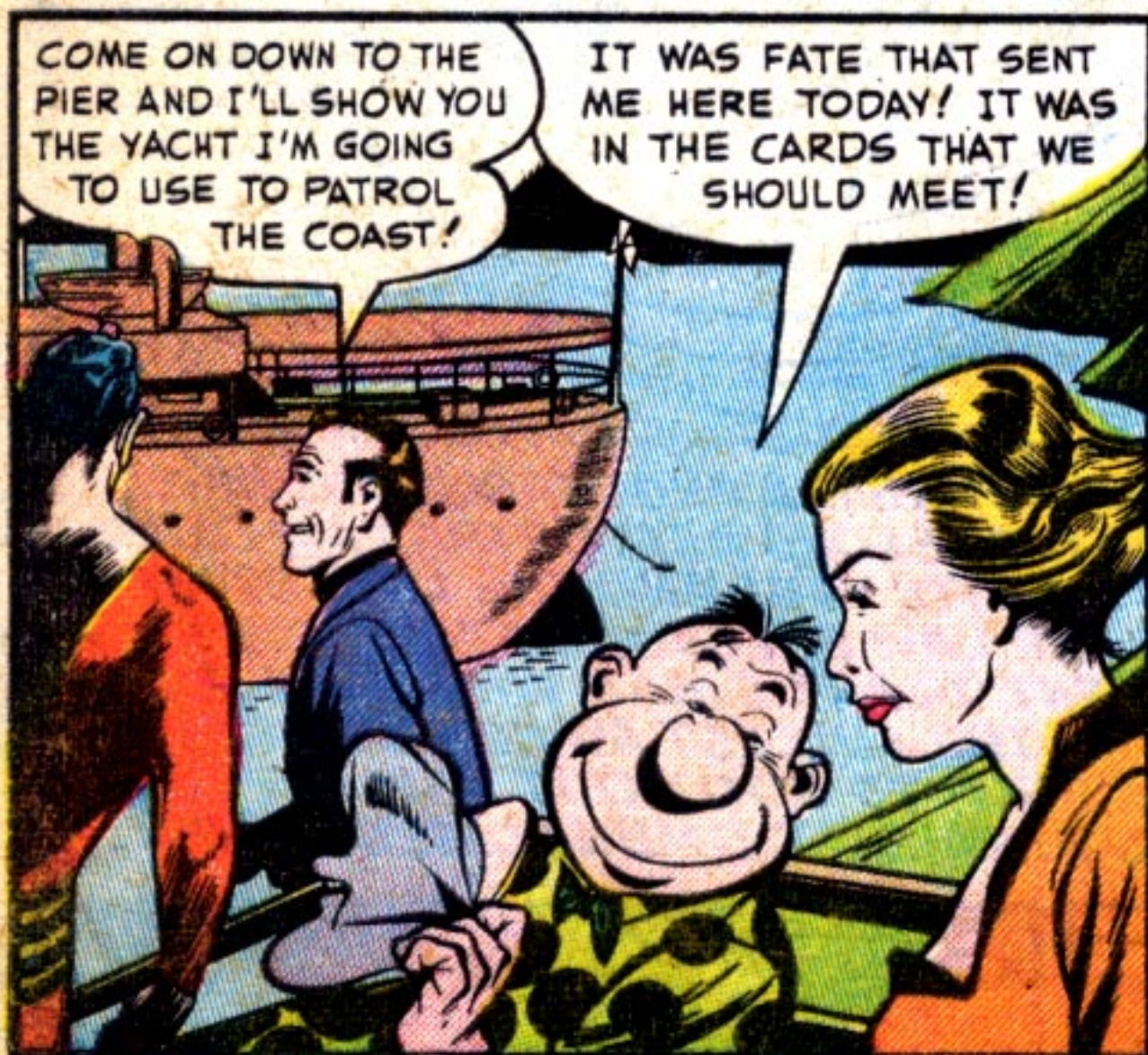
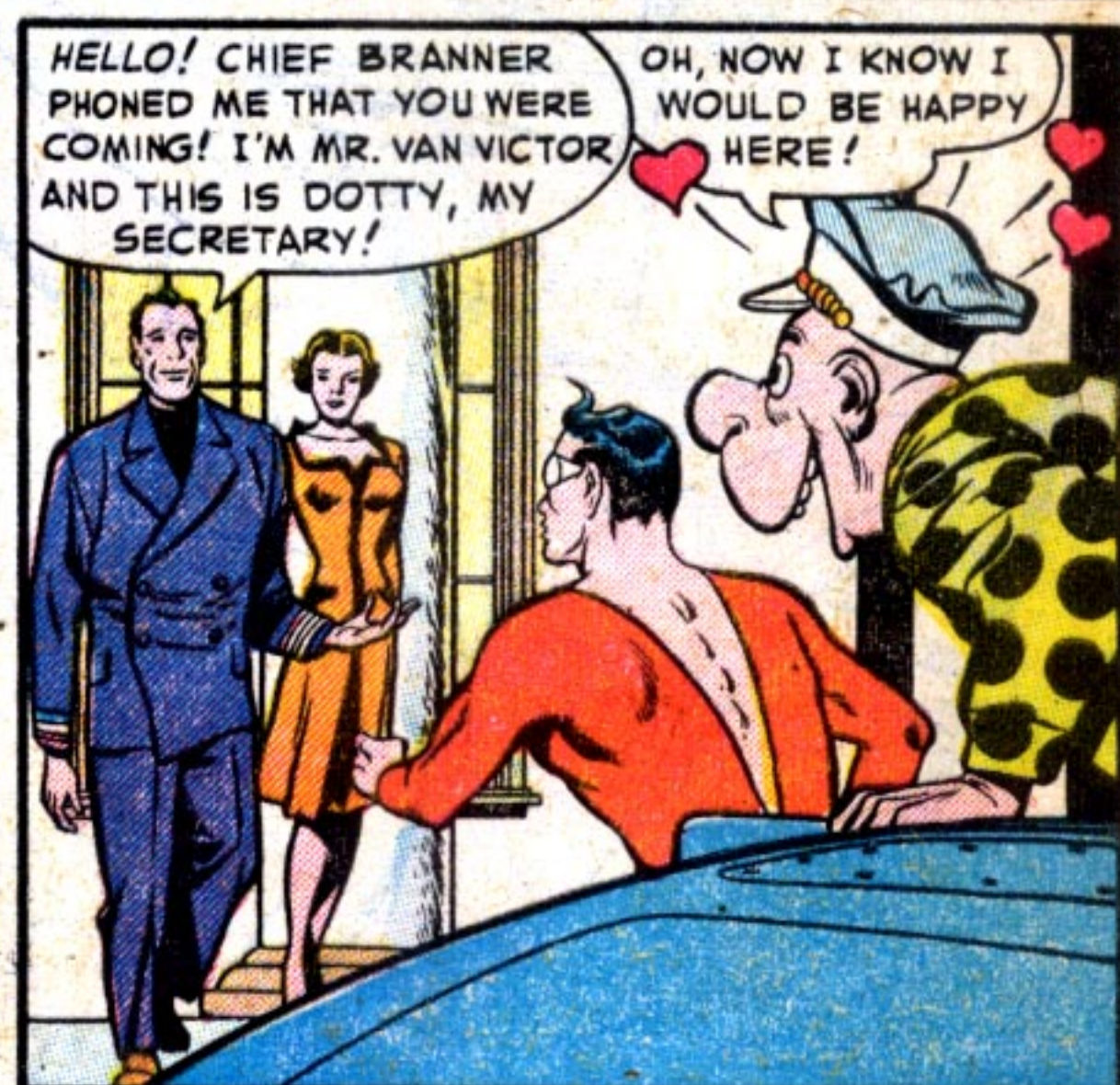
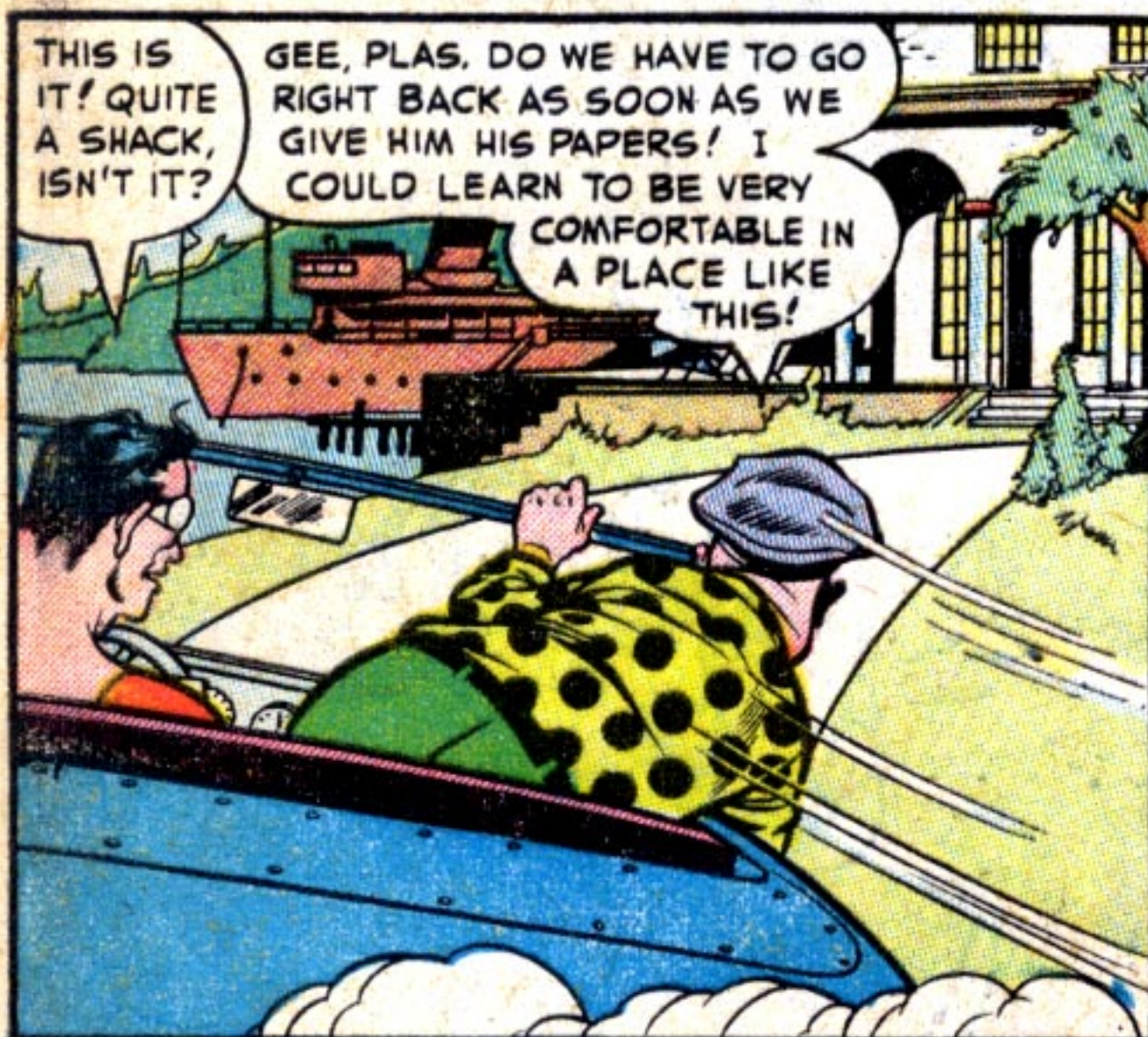
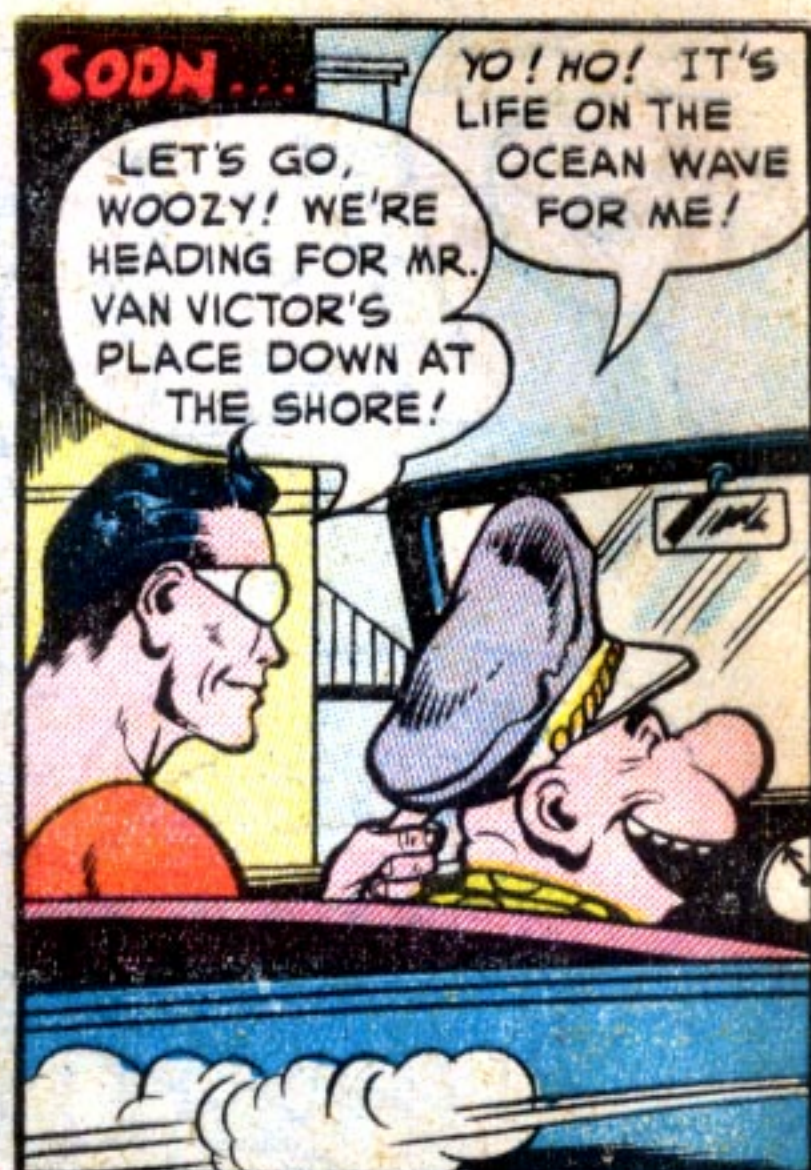
NO! NO! HOIST
THE ANCHOR! STRIKE
THE JIB SAIL! DO
ANYTHING BUT GET
AWAY FROM THIS
PLASTIC POISON!

YOU'RE NOT
FEEDING WOOLY TO
THE FISH...BUT MAYBE
YOU'D LIKE TO TAKE
HIS PLACE ON
THEIR MENU!

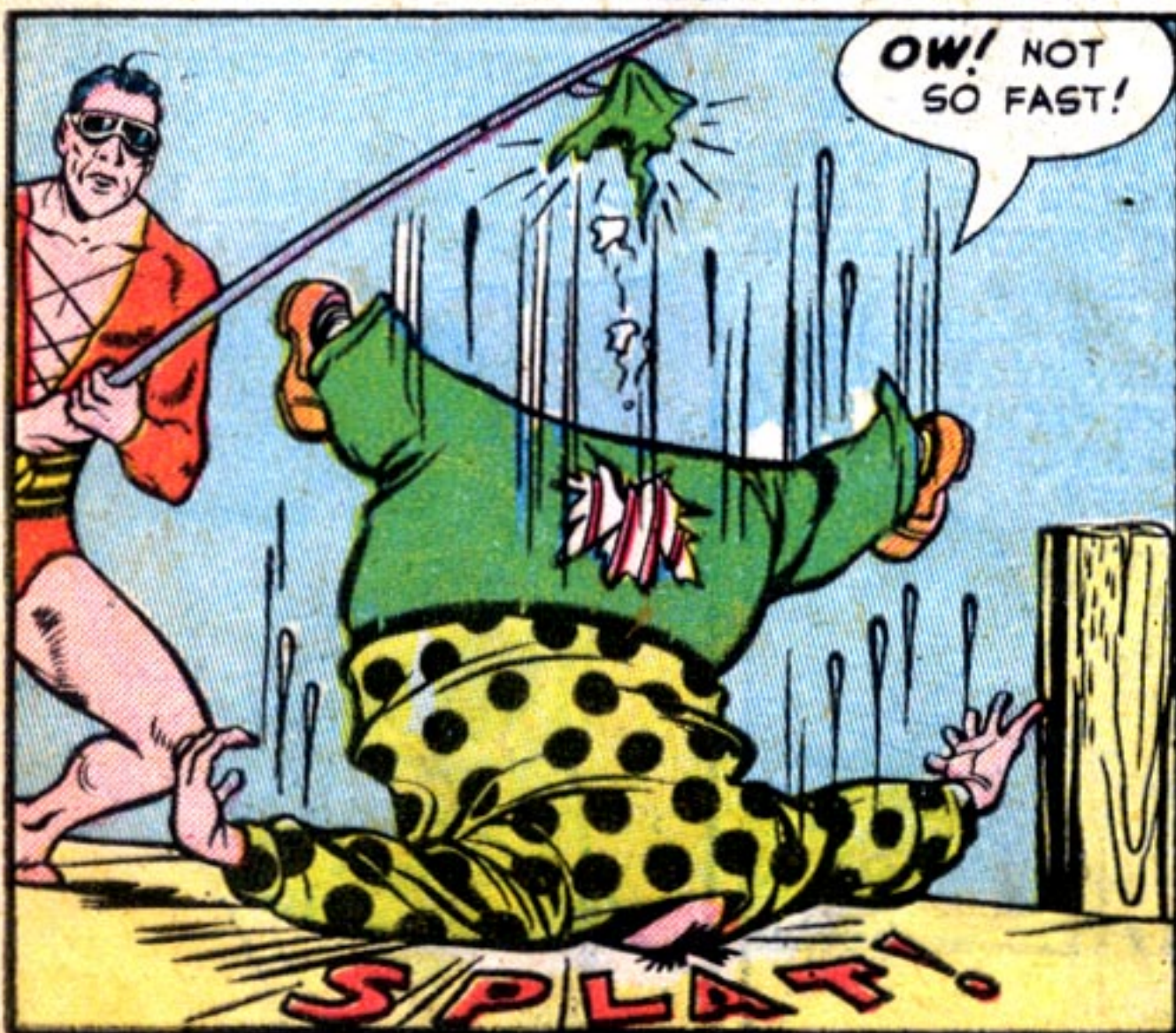
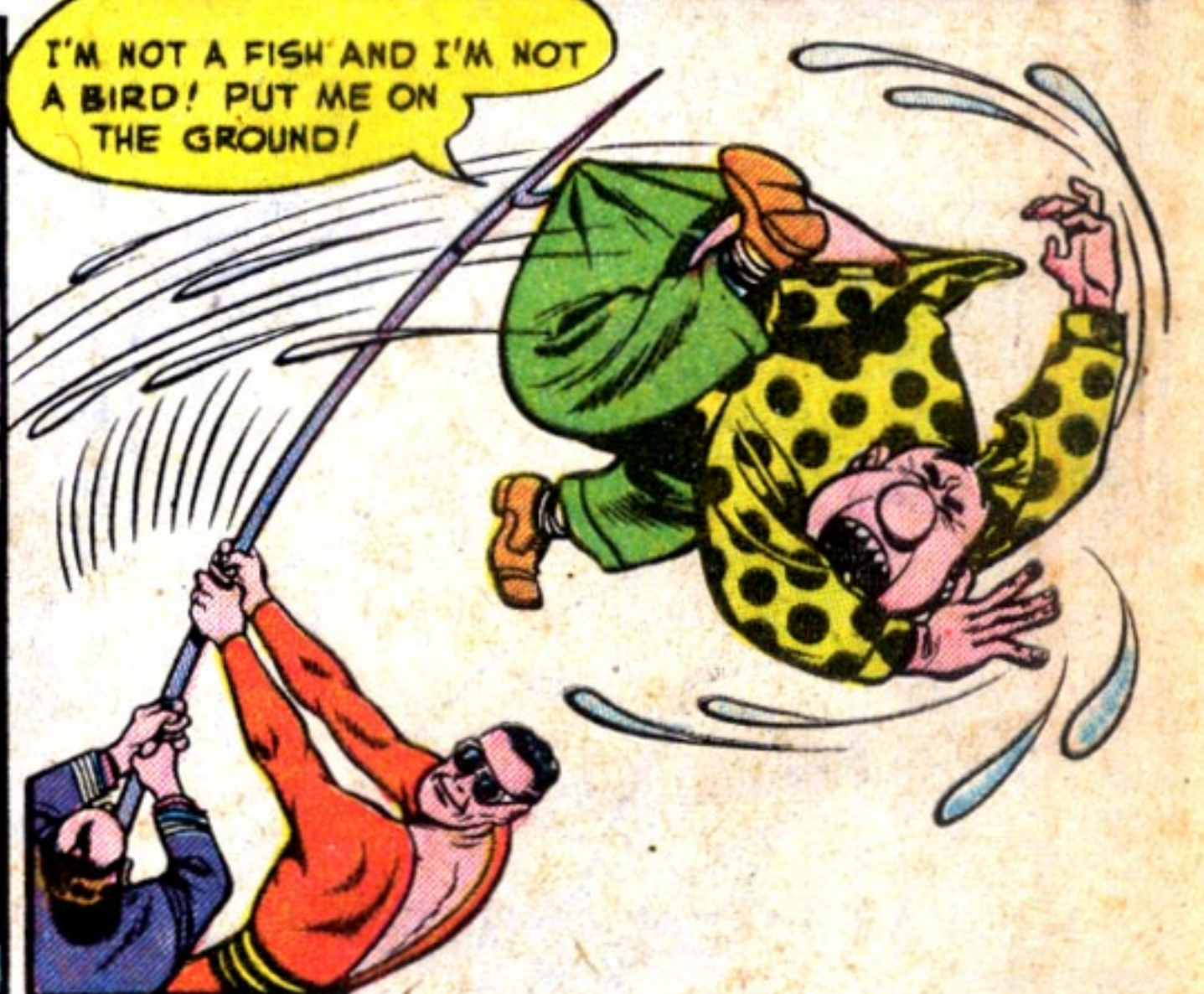
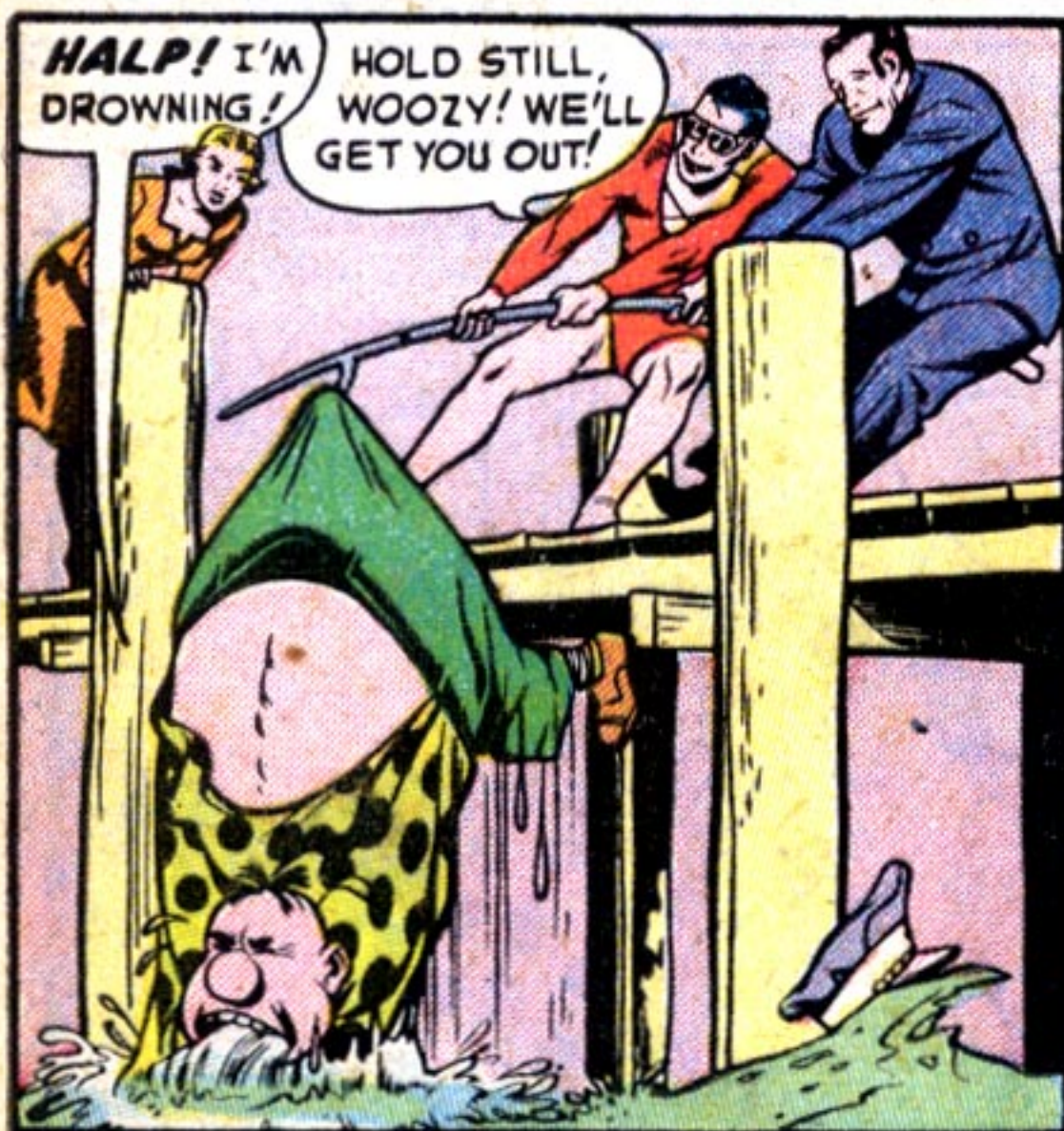


**SMUGGLING IS A PROFITABLE BUSINESS...
UNTIL THE LONG ARM OF THE LAW CATCH-
ES UP WITH YOU! AND THE LONGEST ARM
OF THE LAW BELONGS TO THAT ACE F.B.I.
AGENT, PLASTIC MAN, WHO STRETCHES
IT TO THE FULLEST AS HE EXTENDS
HIMSELF TO ROOT OUT THE CLEVER
CRIMINALS AT SMUGGLER'S HAVEN!**

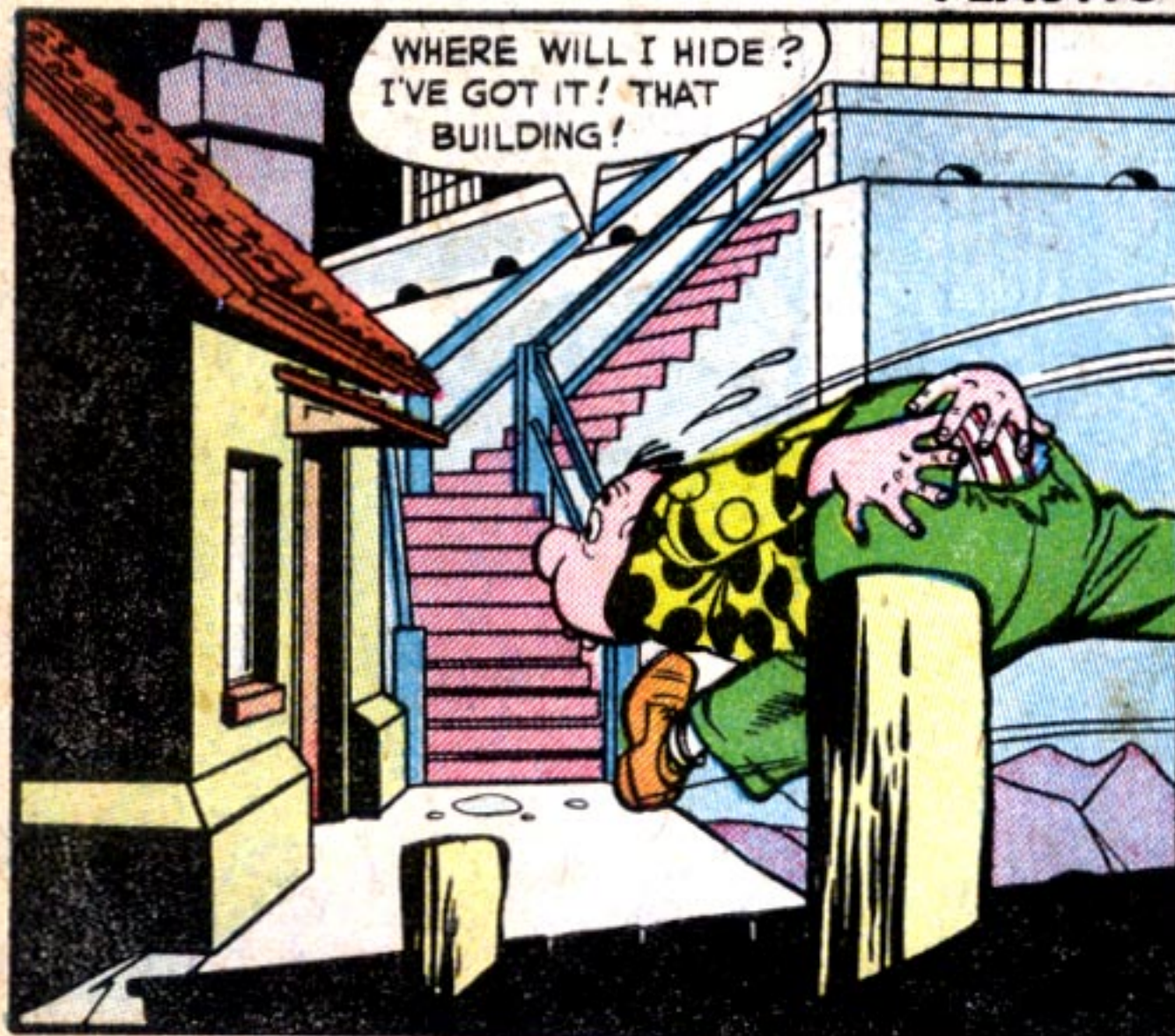
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WHERE WILL I HIDE?
I'VE GOT IT! THAT
BUILDING!



NO! NO! STAY OUT
OF THAT BUILDING!

DON'T MIND WOODY!
HE'S JUST BASHFUL!



OUT! OUT, I SAID!
I DON'T WANT ANY-
ONE IN THIS BUILDING!



B-BUT MY
PANTS!

I CAN'T HAVE YOU STAY IN
THIS BUILDING! IT'S DANGER-
OUS...THE, UH, THE FLOORS
ARE BEING FIXED AND THE
BOARDS ARE LOOSE!

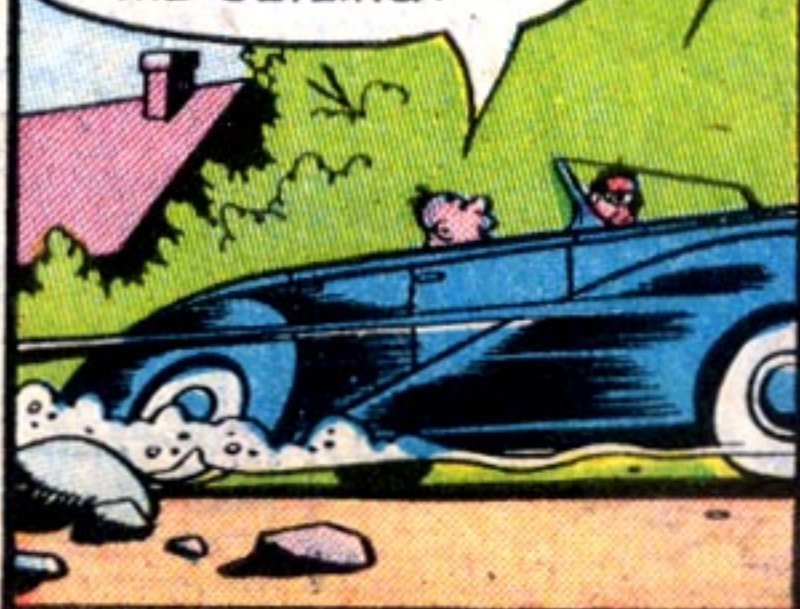


HERE ARE YOUR PAPERS,
MR. VAN VICTOR! I THINK
IT'S TIME FOR US TO
LEAVE!

YES!
WE
CAN
TELL WHEN
WE'RE NOT
WELCOME!

LATER

YOU KNOW,
PLAS, I DON'T KNOW
WHAT VAN VICTOR GOT
SO EXCITED ABOUT!
THERE WAS NOTHING
WRONG WITH THE FLOOR
OF THAT HOUSE! ALL I
NOTICED WERE PACKING
BOXES STACKED UP TO
THE CEILING!

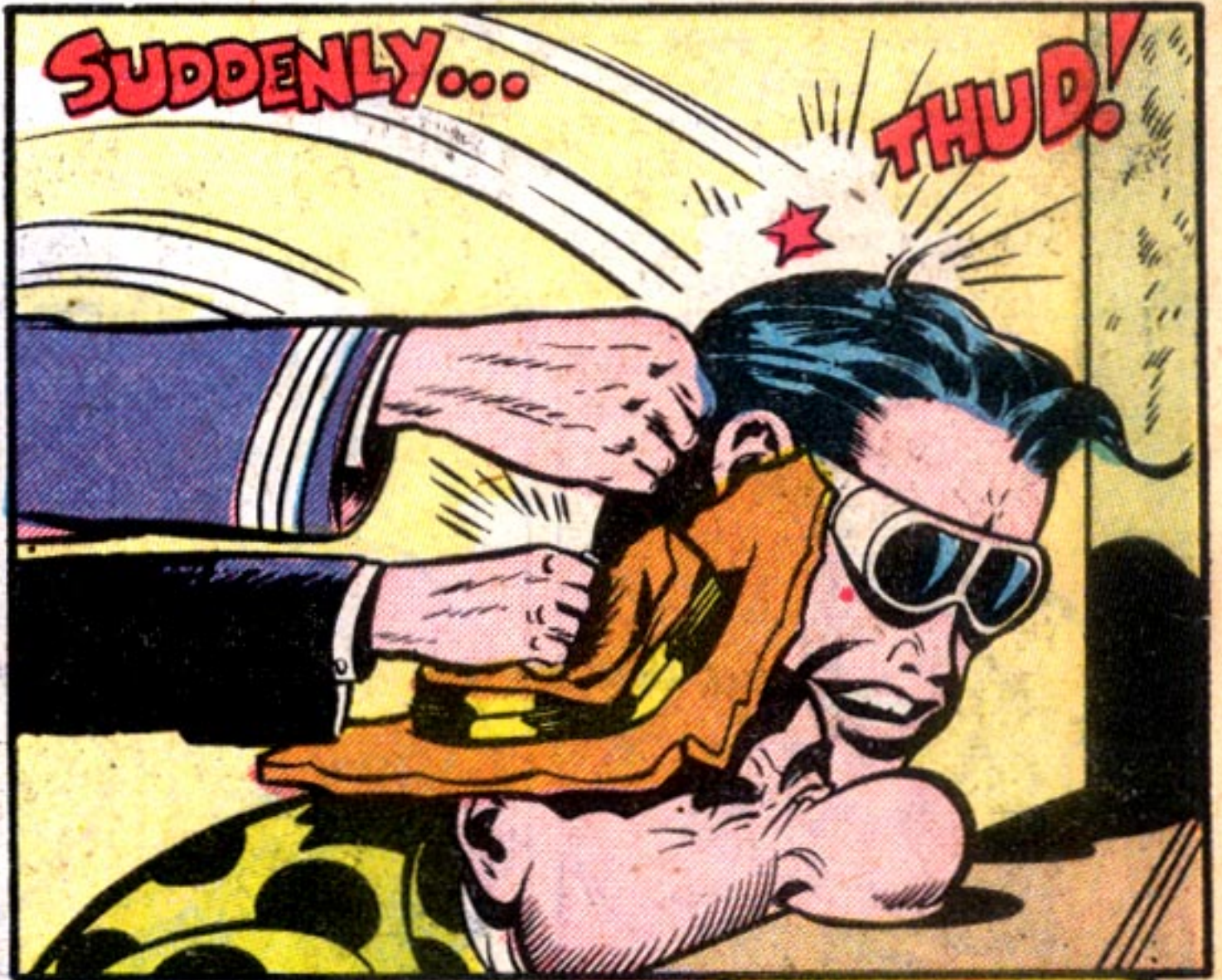
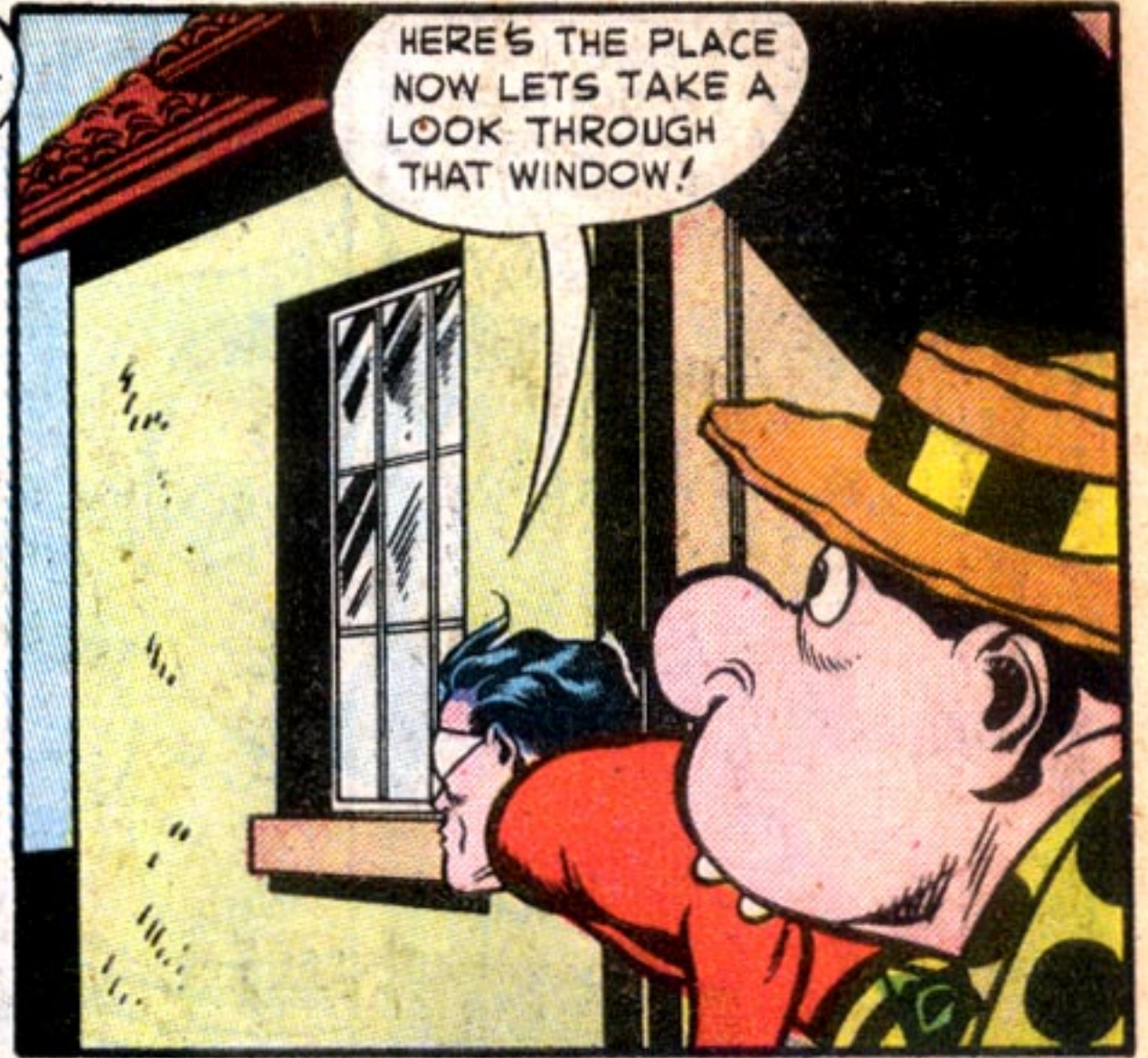
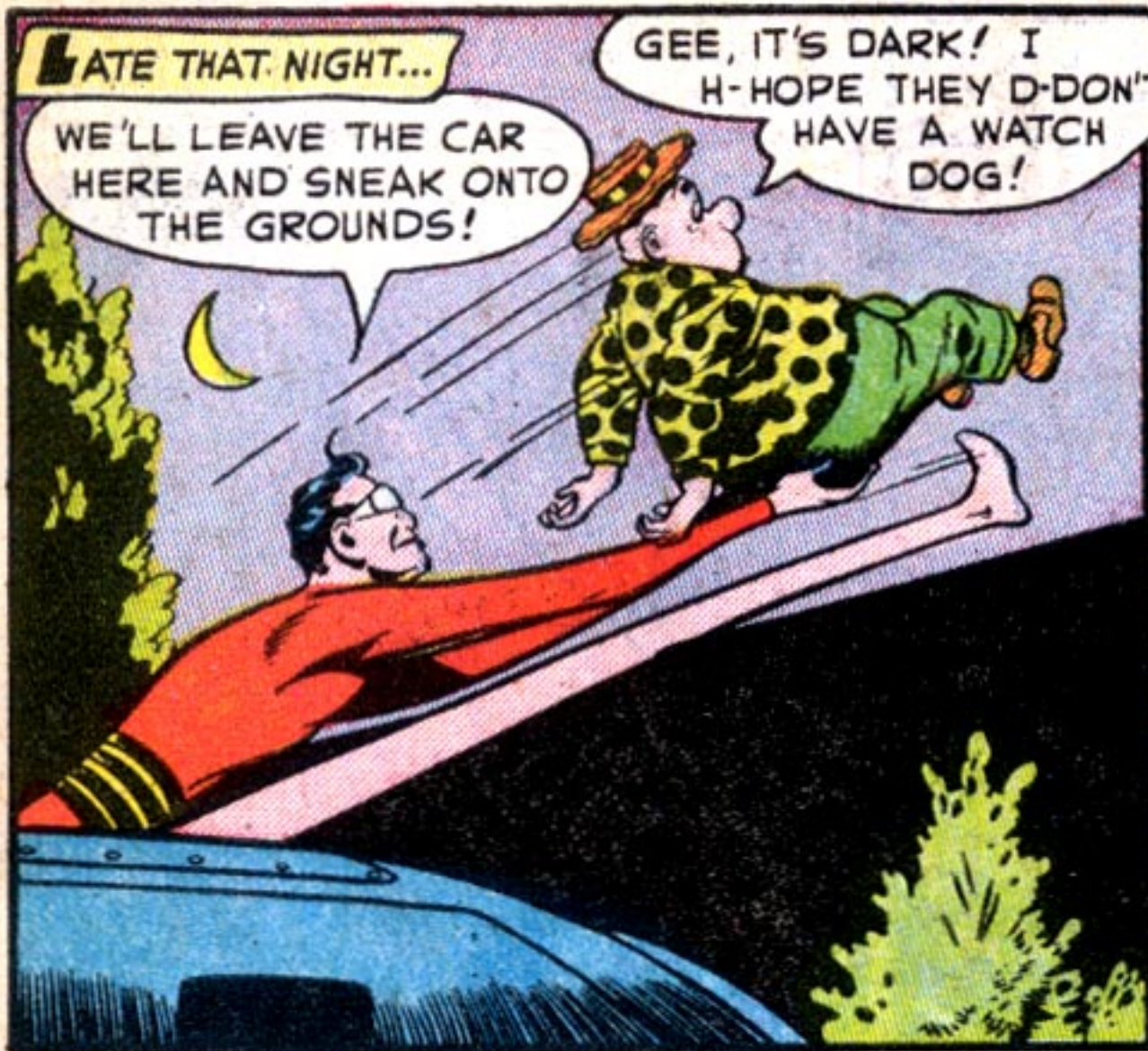


I THINK HE
GOT A
LITTLE
TOO
EXCITED!

WOODY, THERE'S SOMETHING
ABOUT THAT HOUSE THAT HE'S
TRYING TO HIDE...AND WE'RE
GOING BACK THERE TONIGHT
TO FIND OUT WHAT IT IS!



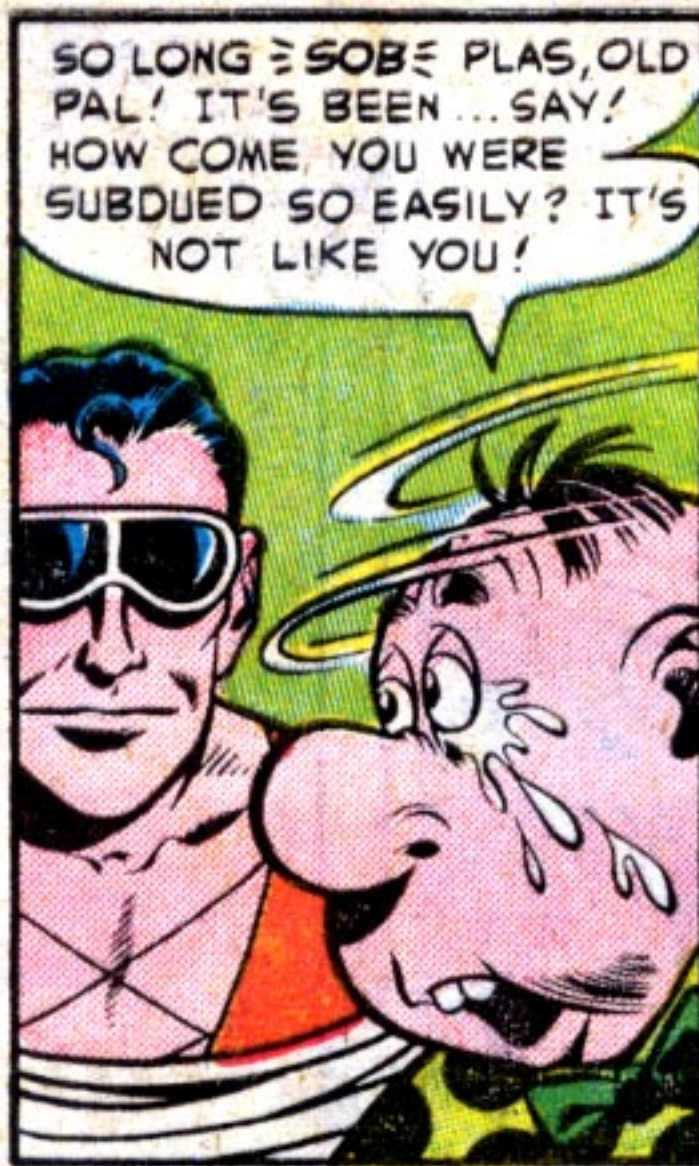
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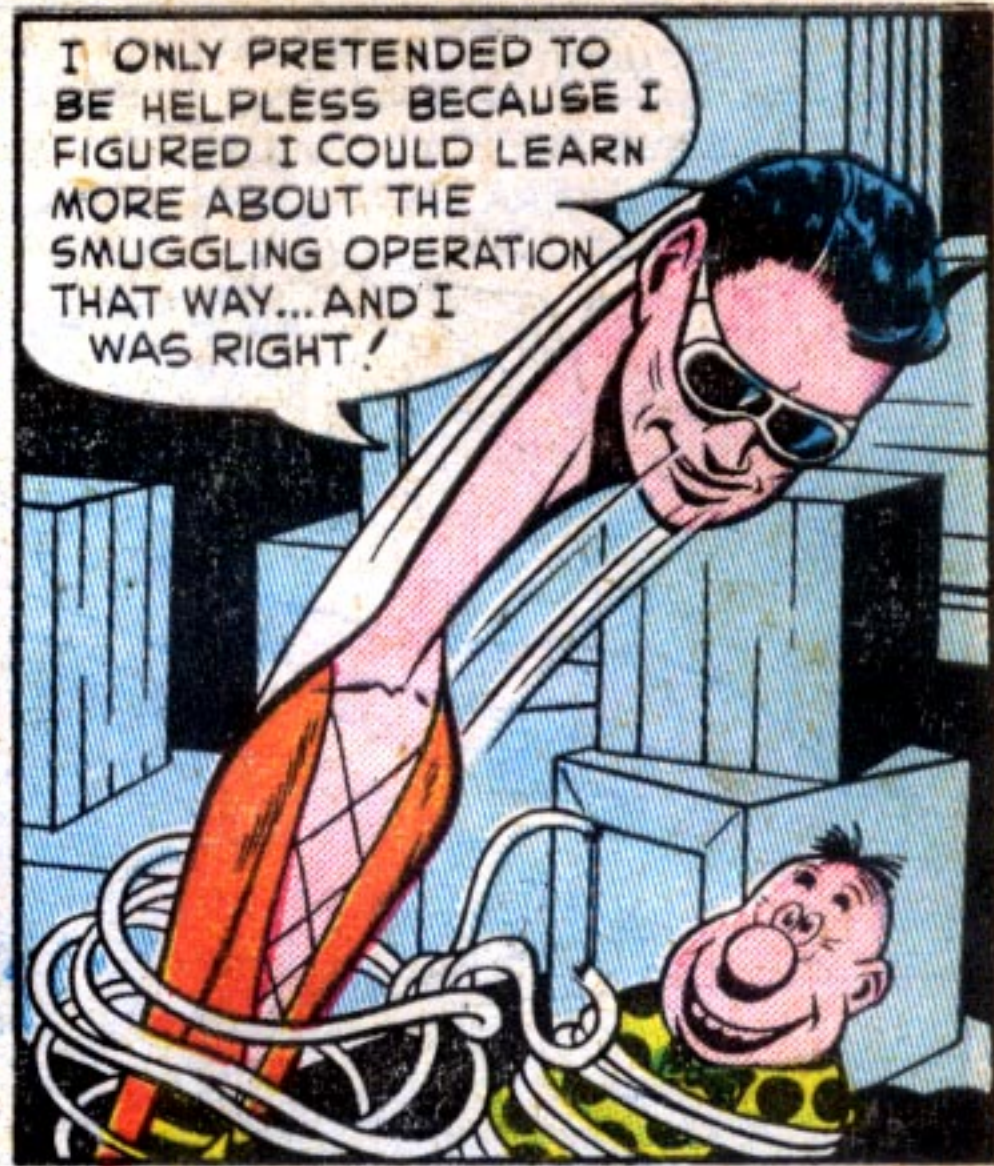


YOU CAN'T DO THAT! I'M TOO YOUNG TO DIE! DOTTY, I THOUGHT YOU WERE SO SWEET!

SAVE THAT STUFF FOR THE MER-MAIDS! SO LONG, SUCKERS!



SO LONG ~~SOBE~~ PLAS, OLD PAL! IT'S BEEN ... SAY! HOW COME YOU WERE SUBDUED SO EASILY? IT'S NOT LIKE YOU!



I ONLY PRETENDED TO BE HELPLESS BECAUSE I FIGURED I COULD LEARN MORE ABOUT THE SMUGGLING OPERATION THAT WAY... AND I WAS RIGHT!



WE'LL WAIT HERE TILL MORNING AND WATCH THEM BRING IN THE SHIPMENT! THEN WE'LL CATCH THE WHOLE GANG!

SURE, PLAS WE'LL TAKE THEM ALL ON! THIRTY! FORTY! NO MATTER HOW BIG THE GANG!



EARLY NEXT MORNING...

LET'S SEE HOW THE FUTURE INHABITANTS OF DAVY JONES' LOCKER ARE THIS MORNING!

THEY... ULP! THEY'RE GONE!



WE COULDN'T LEAVE SUCH CHARMING HOSPITALITY! TIE THEM UP, WOOLY!

HEY!

HUH?



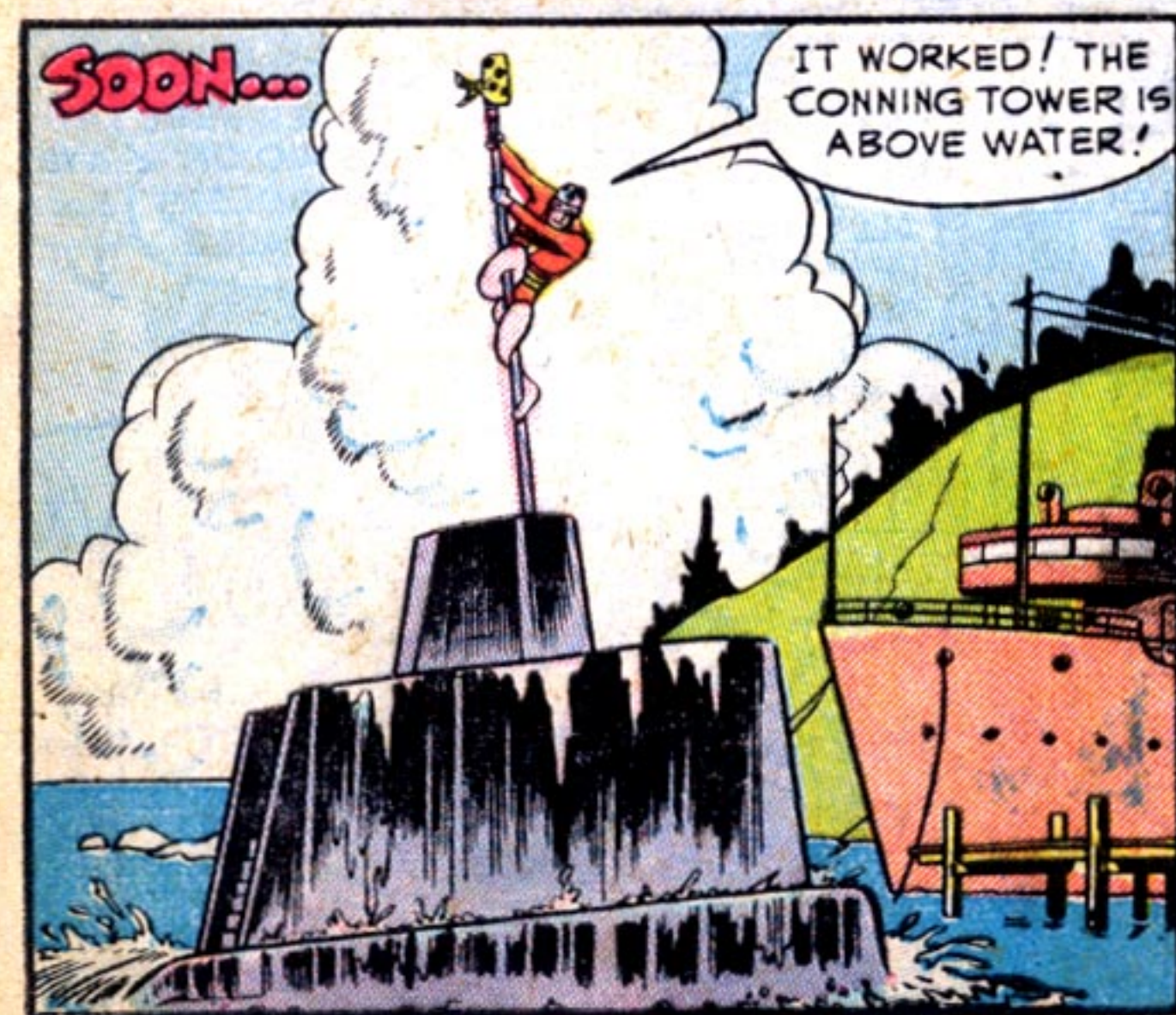
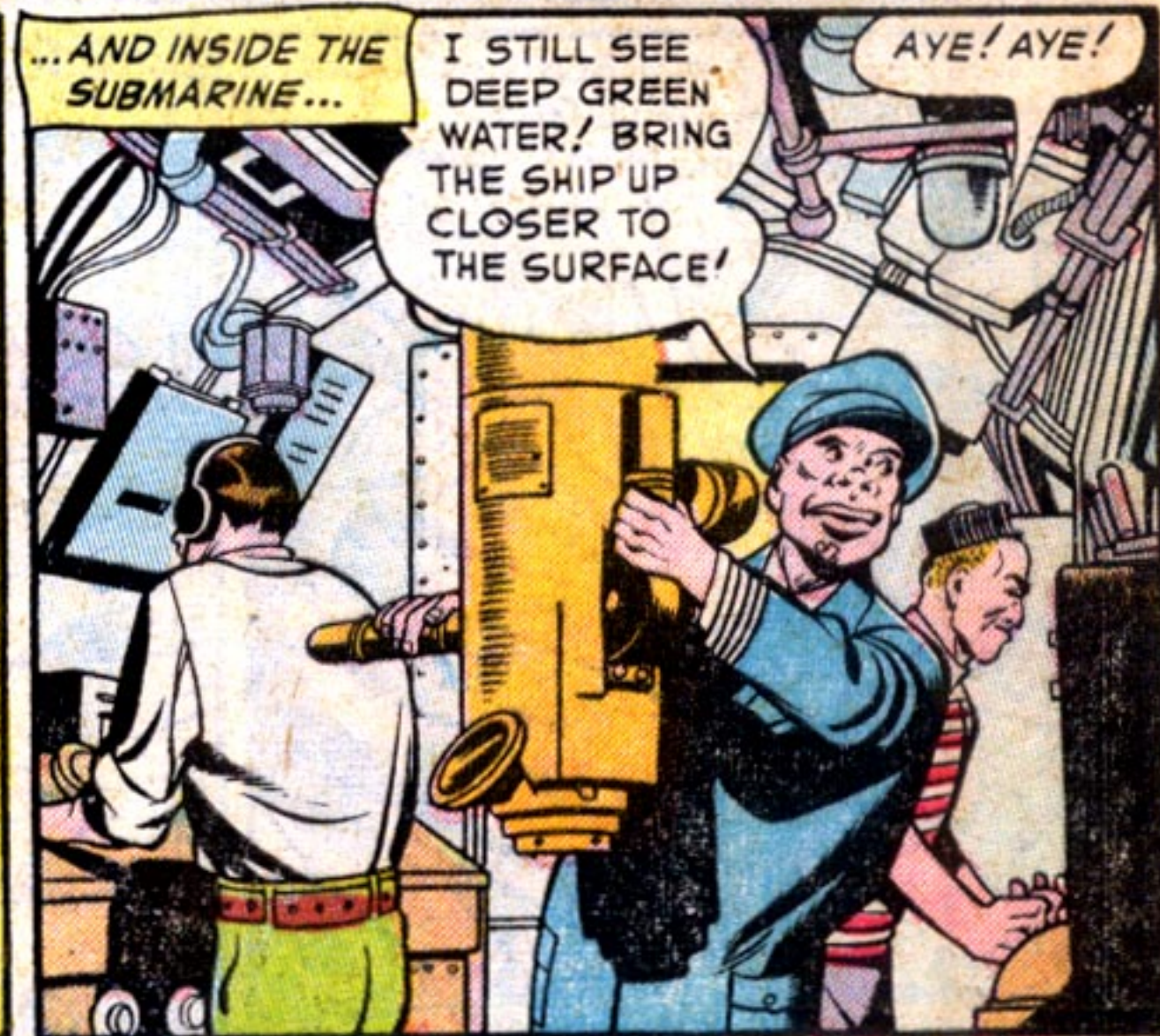
THIS IS NOT THE SORT OF A KNOT I HAD PLANNED TO TIE WITH YOU! ~~SIGHE~~ WE COULD STILL!

AW, SHUT UP!

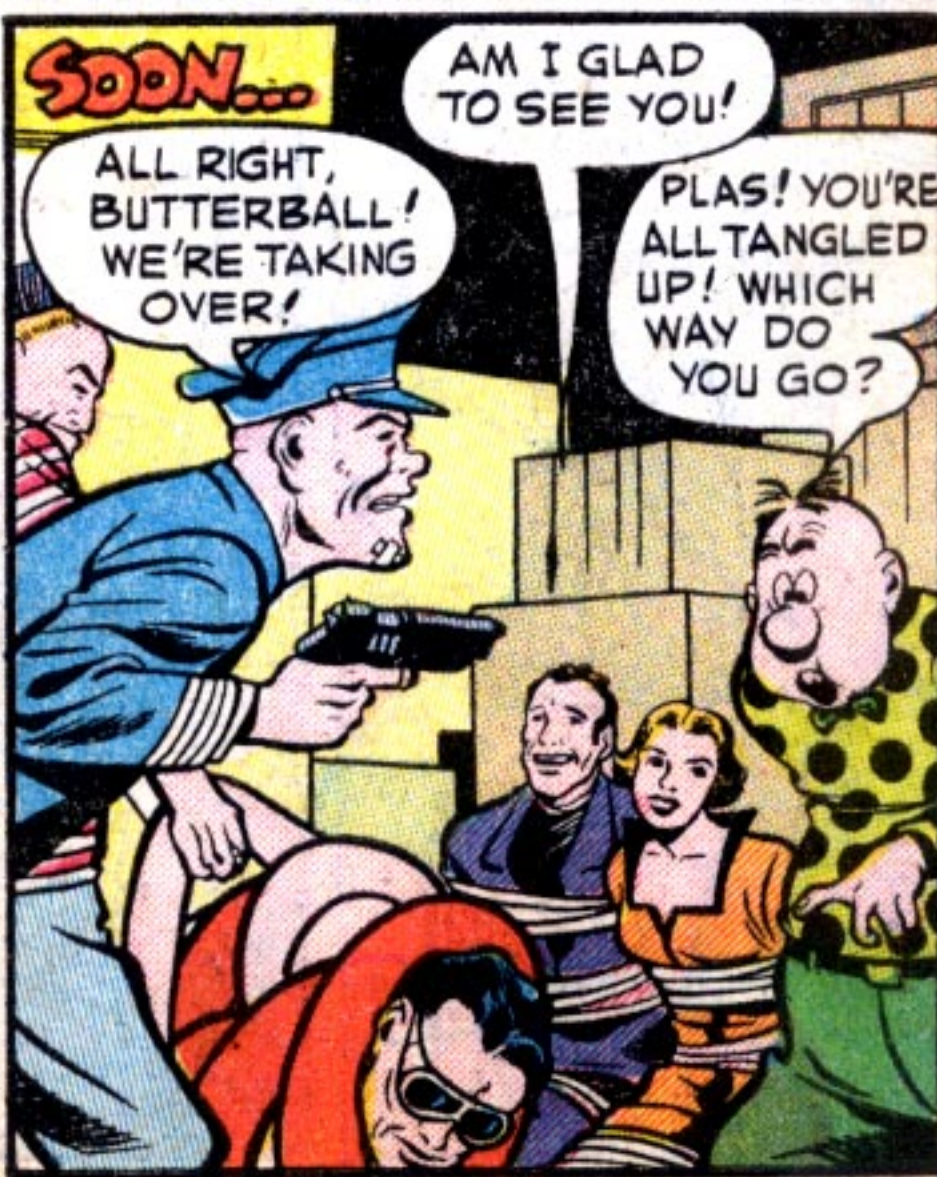
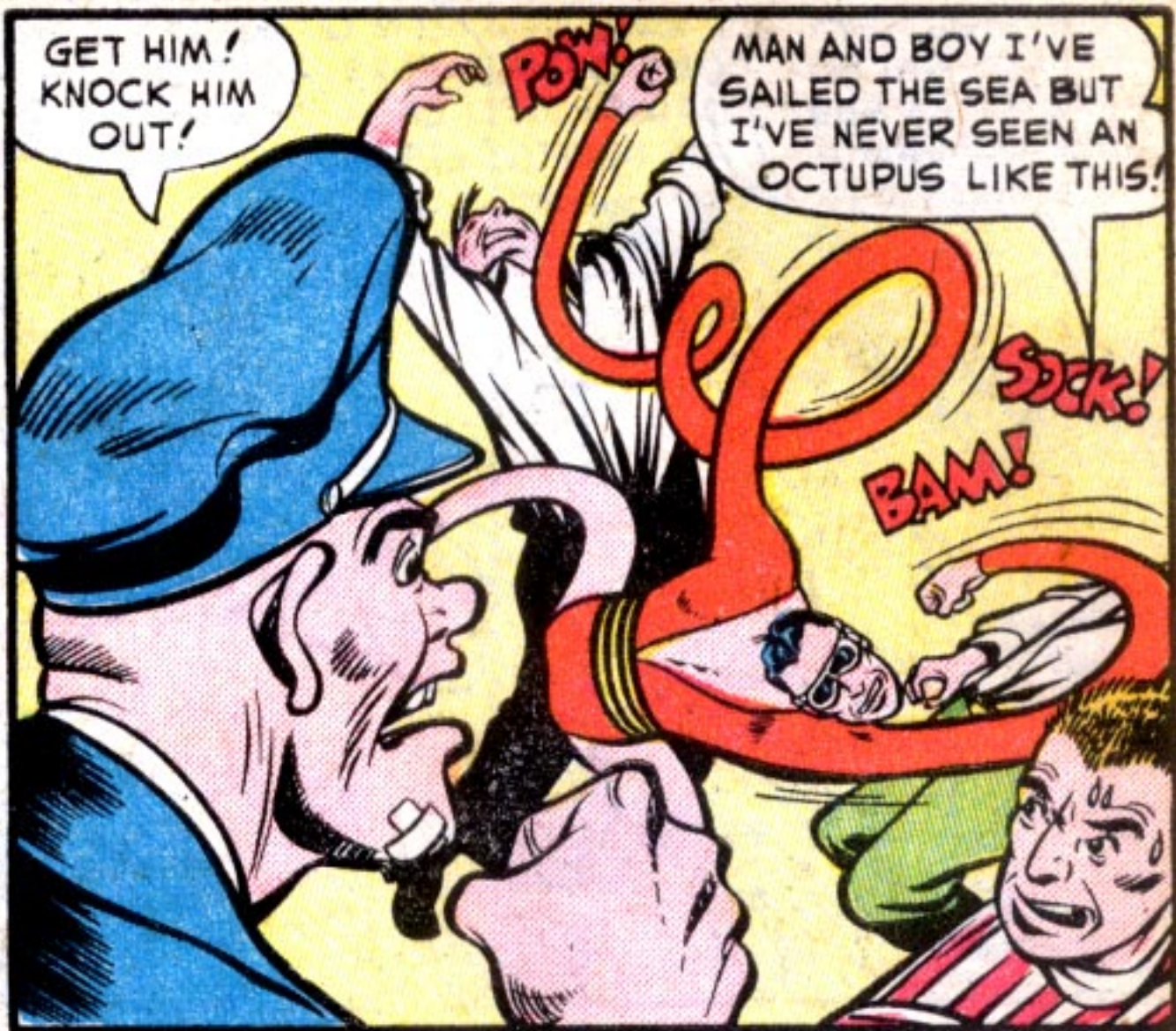
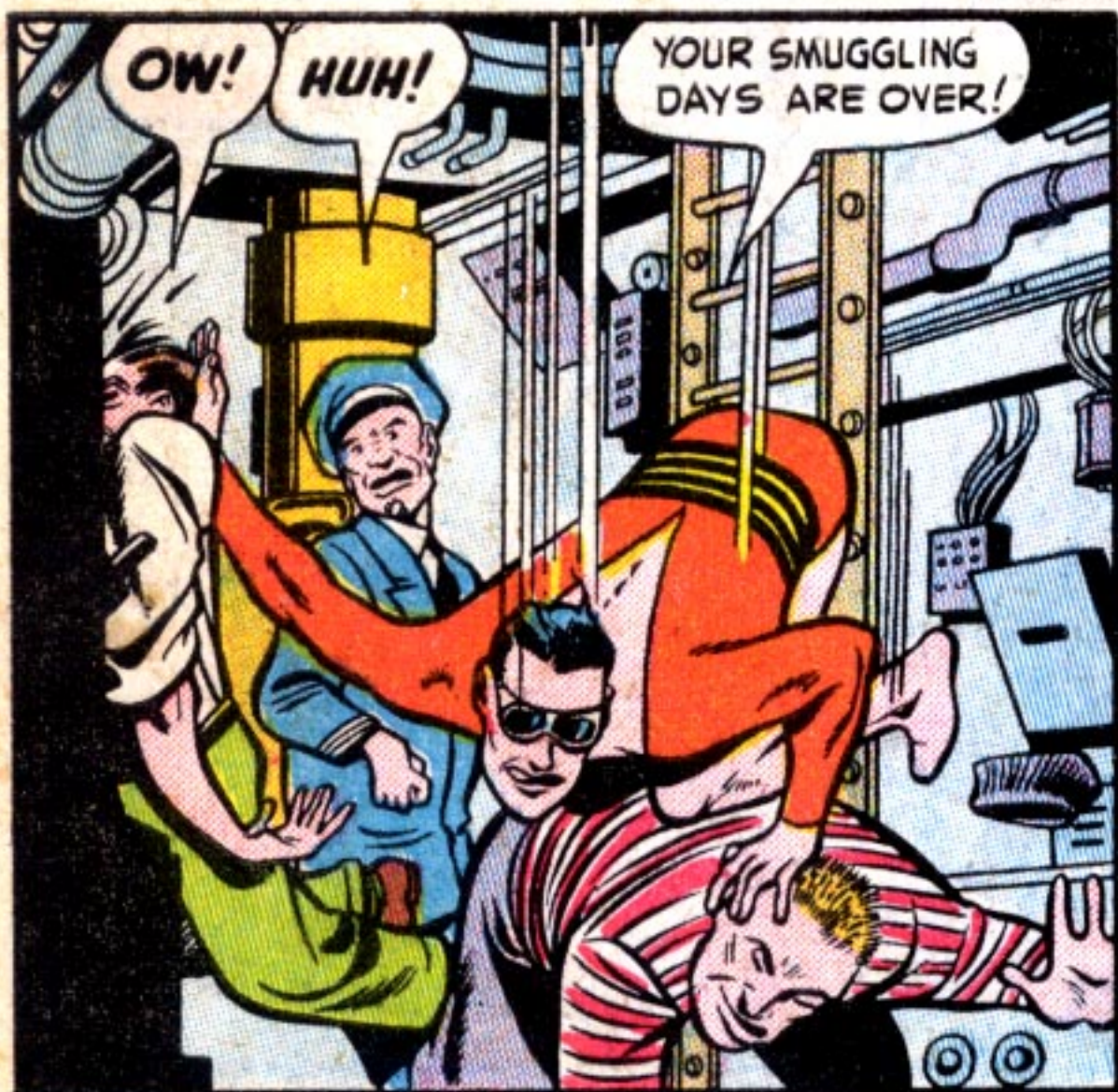


THERE'S A PERISCOPE OUT THERE! THAT'S WHY THE COAST GUARD DIDN'T SEE THE SMUGGLERS! THEY MAKE THEIR DELIVERIES BY SUBMARINE!

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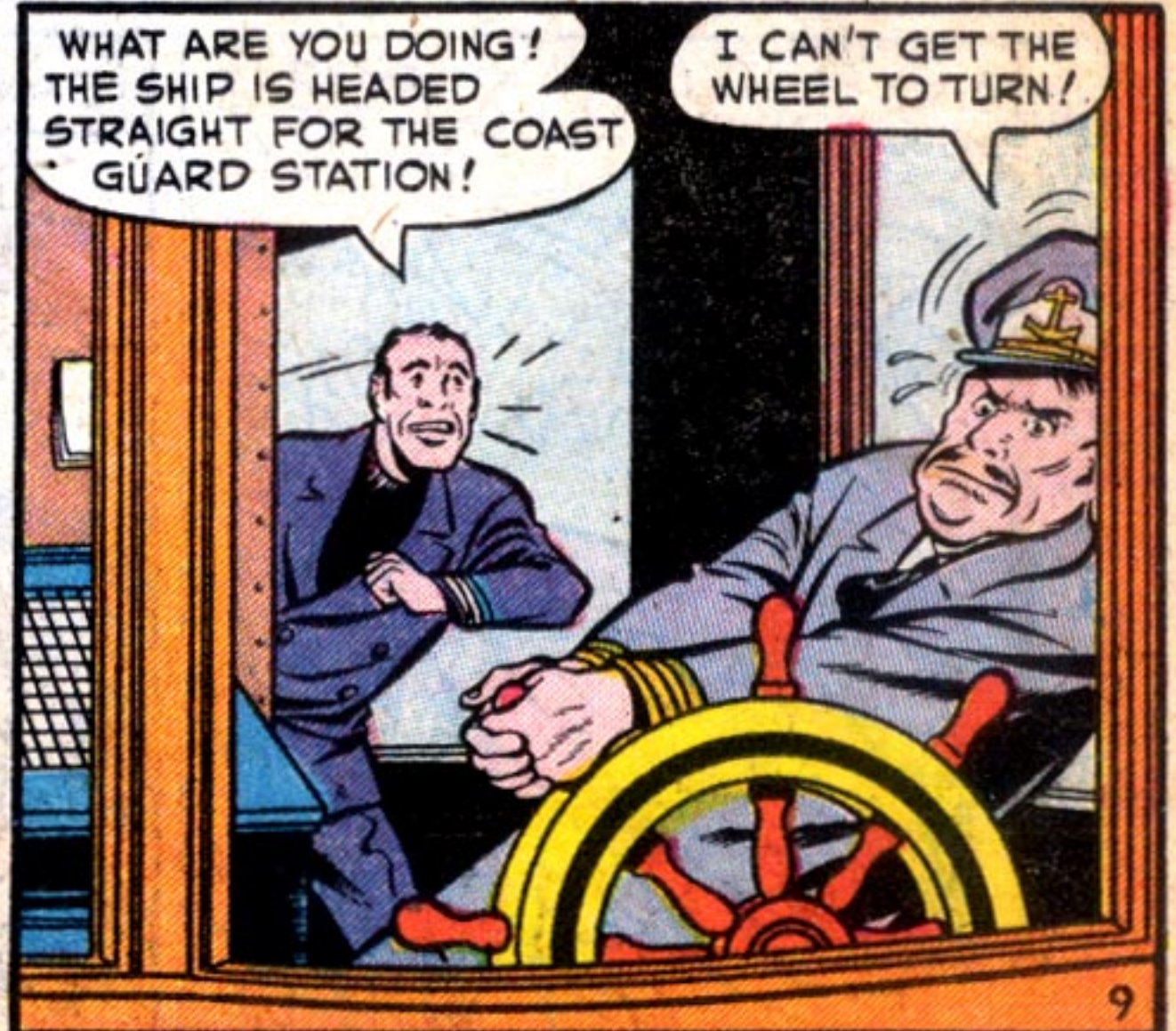
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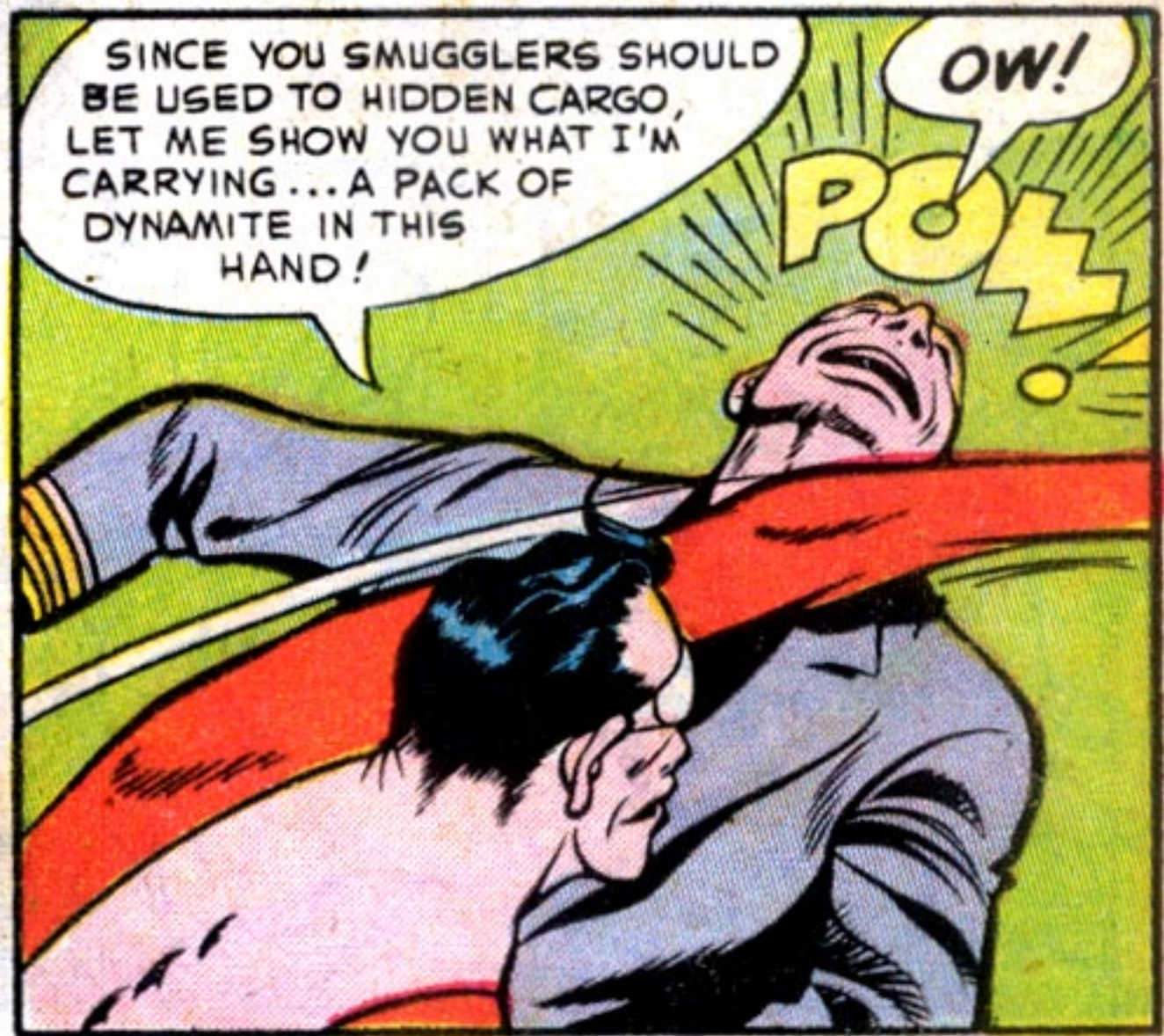
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MEANWHILE IN THE PILOT HOUSE...



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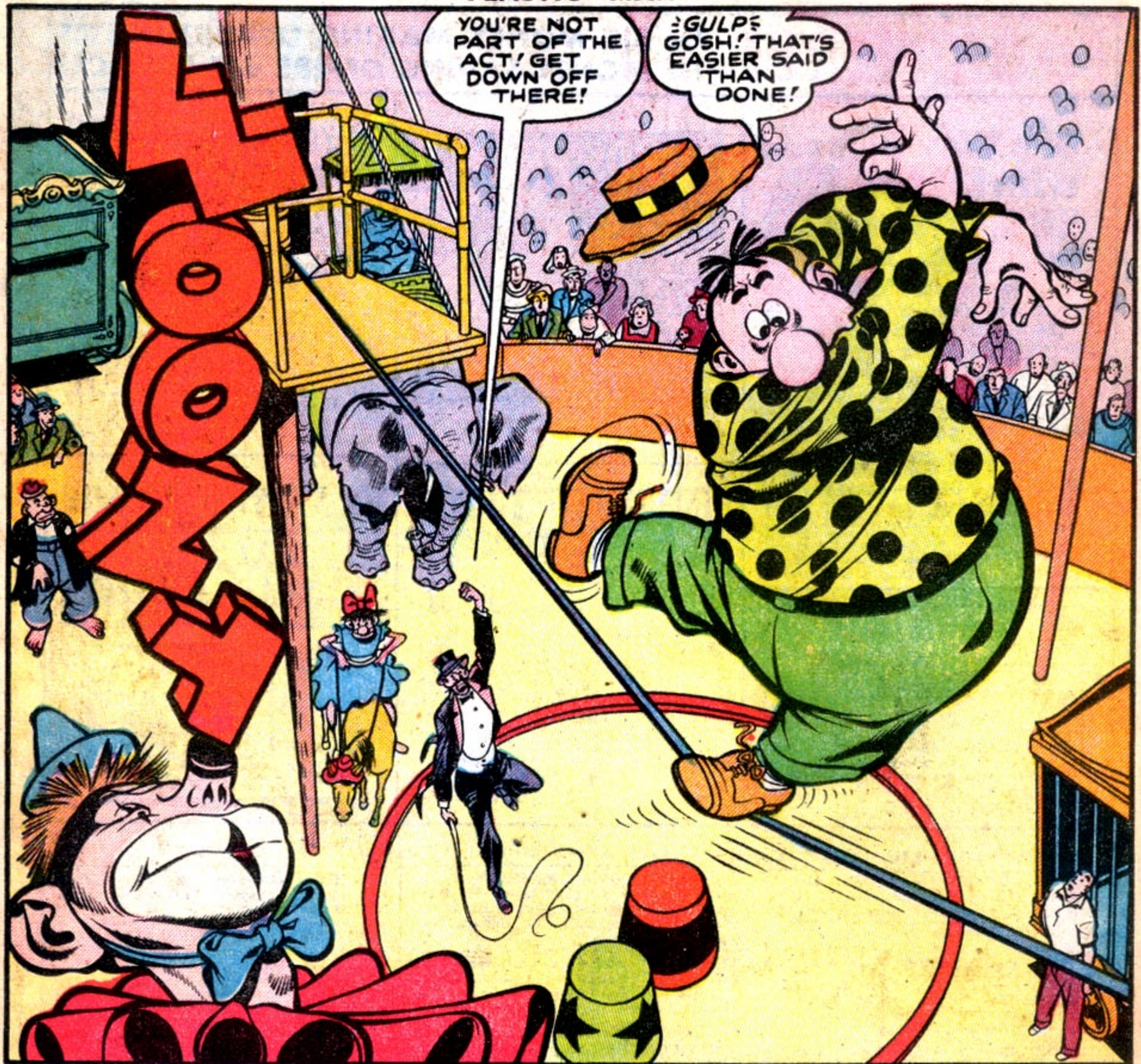
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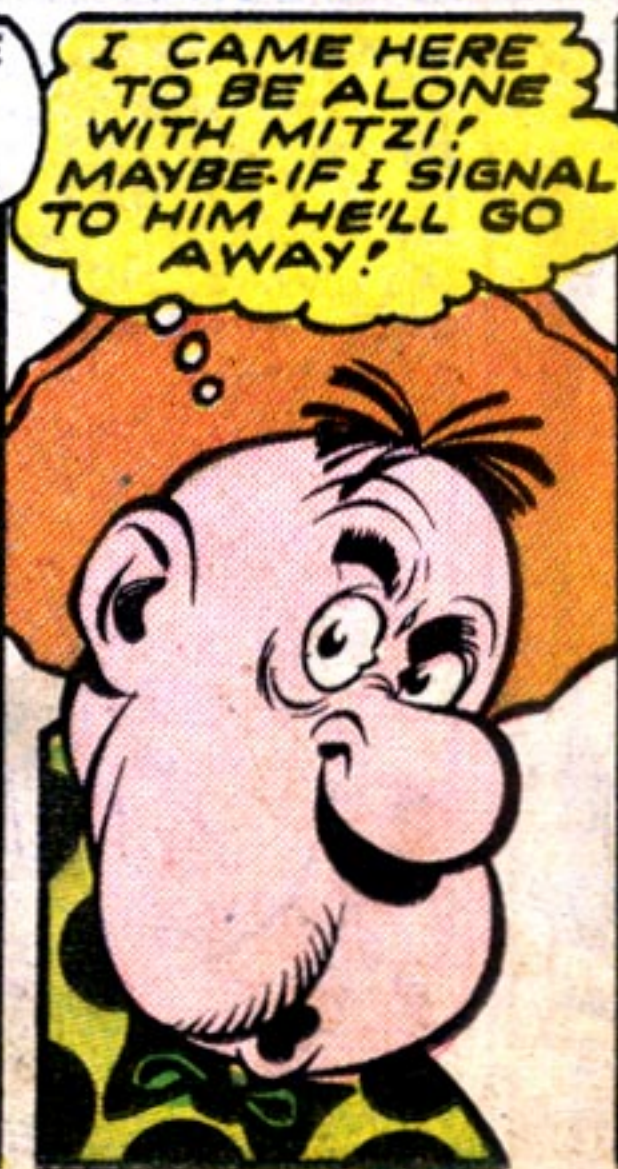
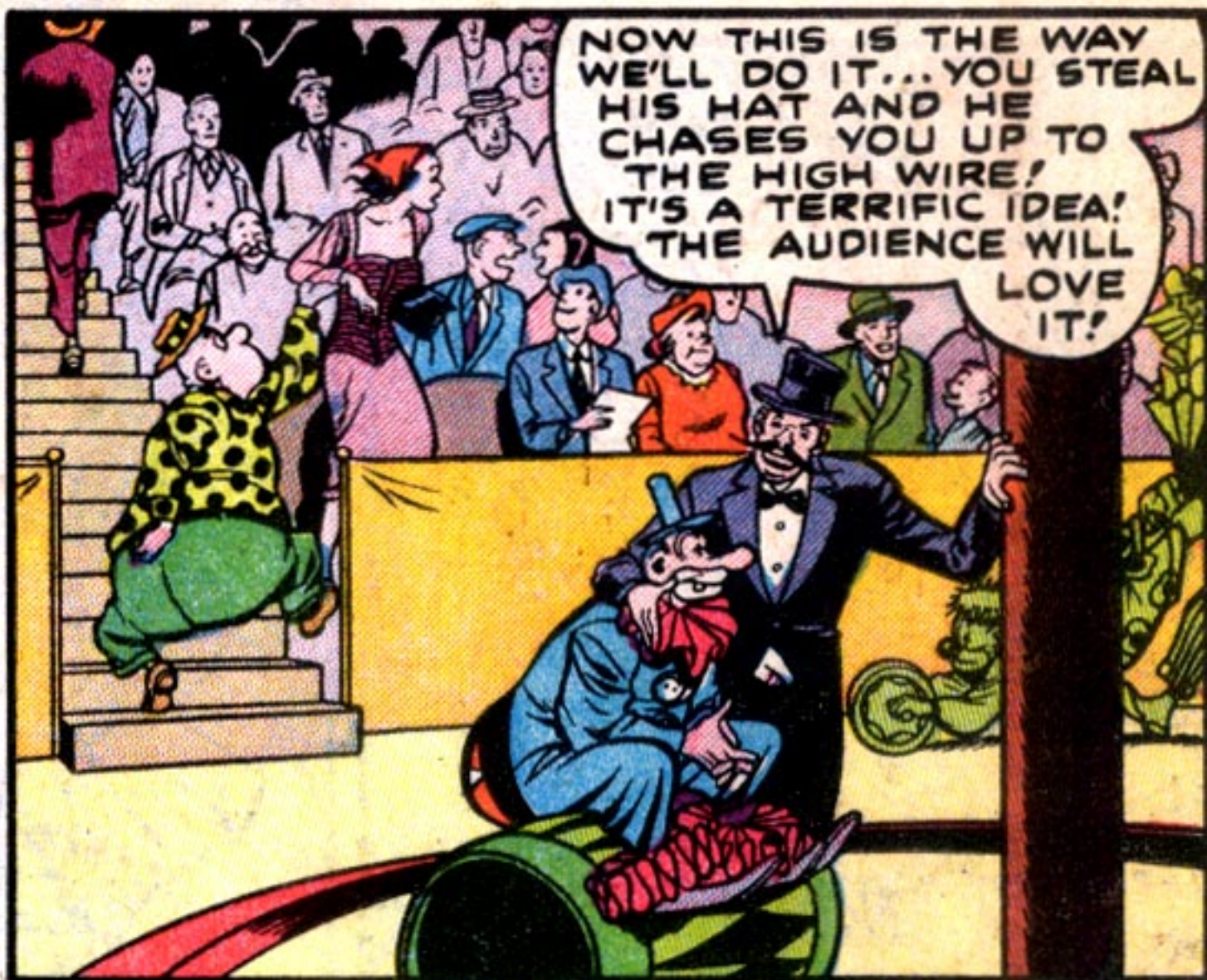
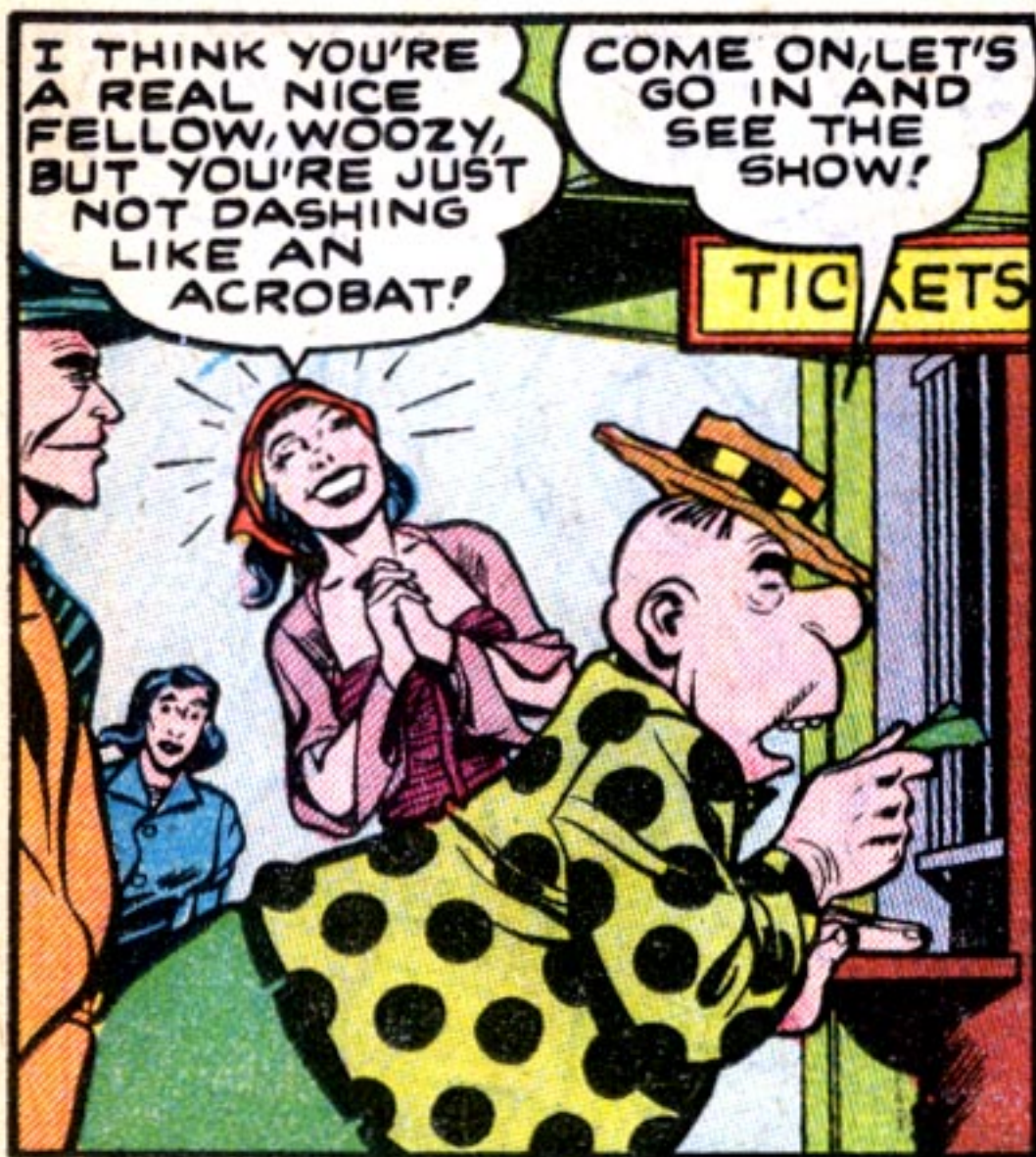
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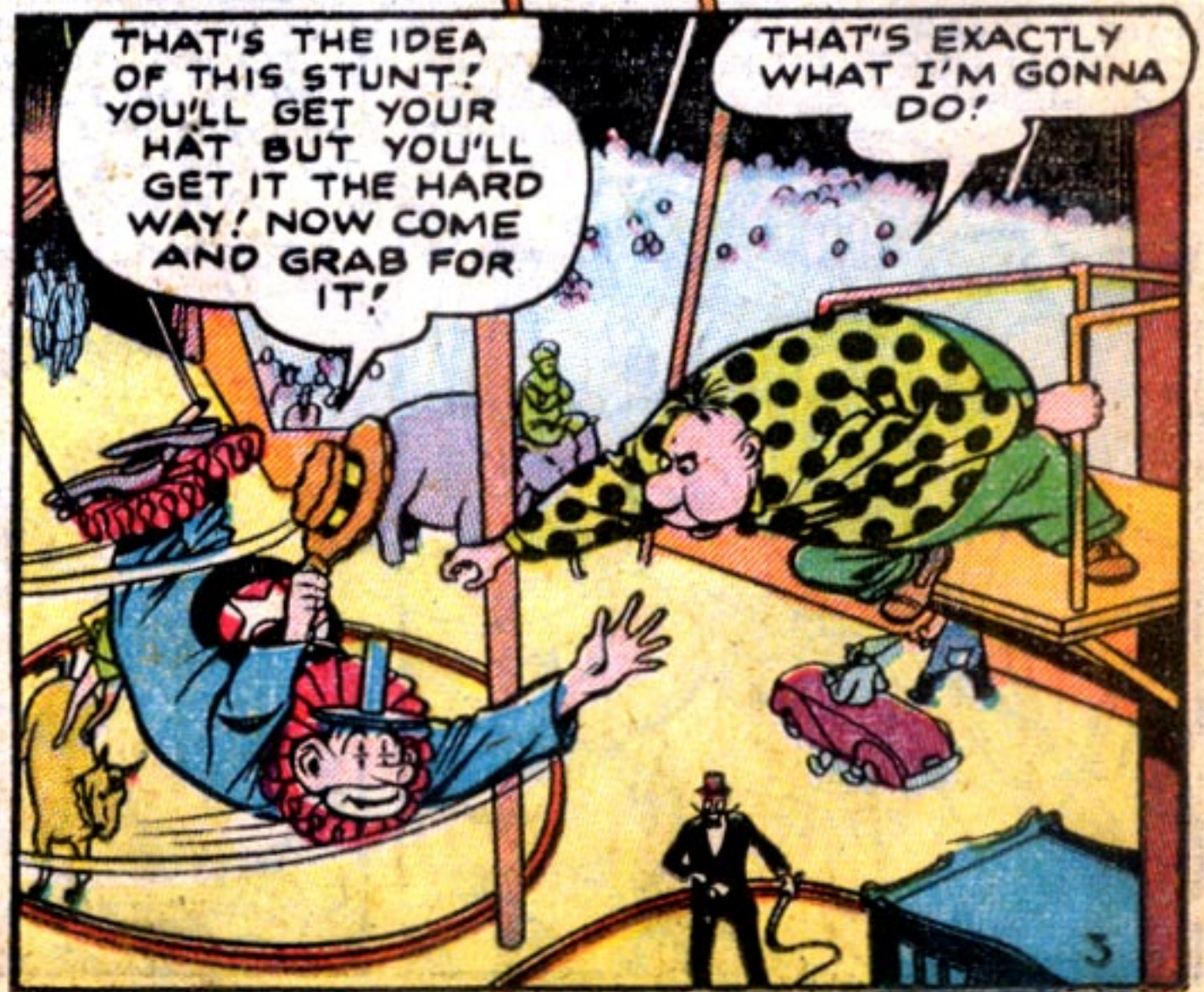
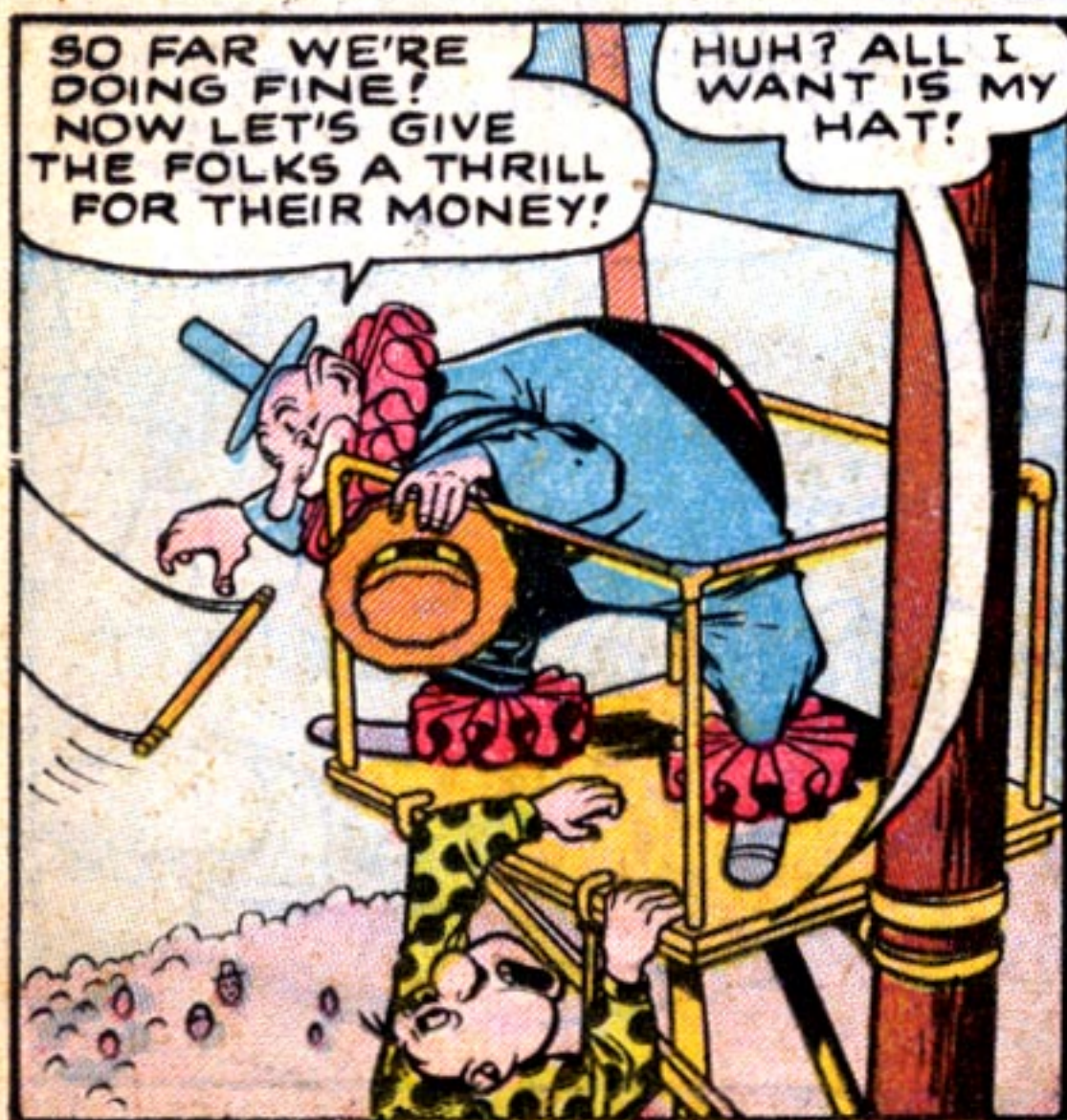
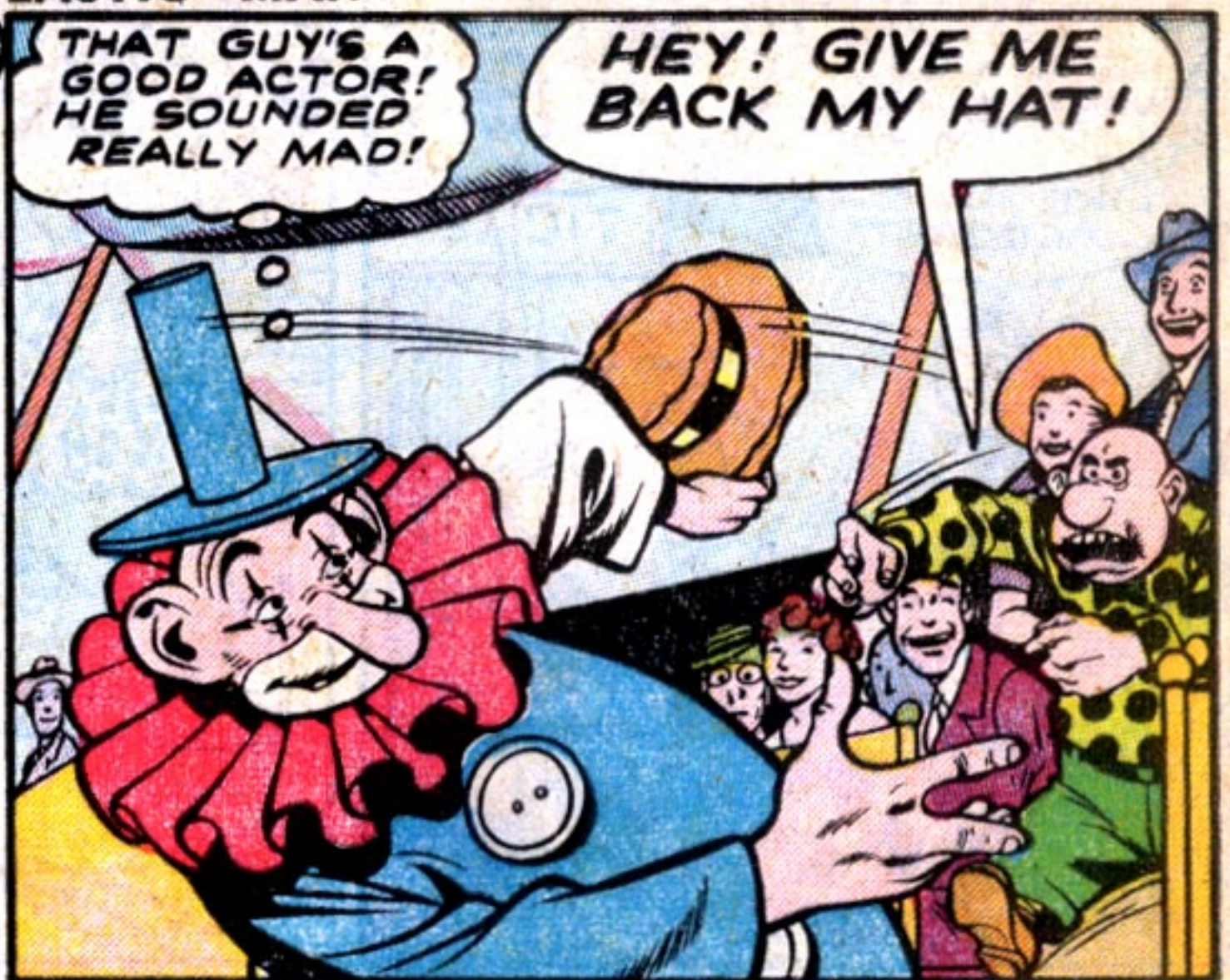
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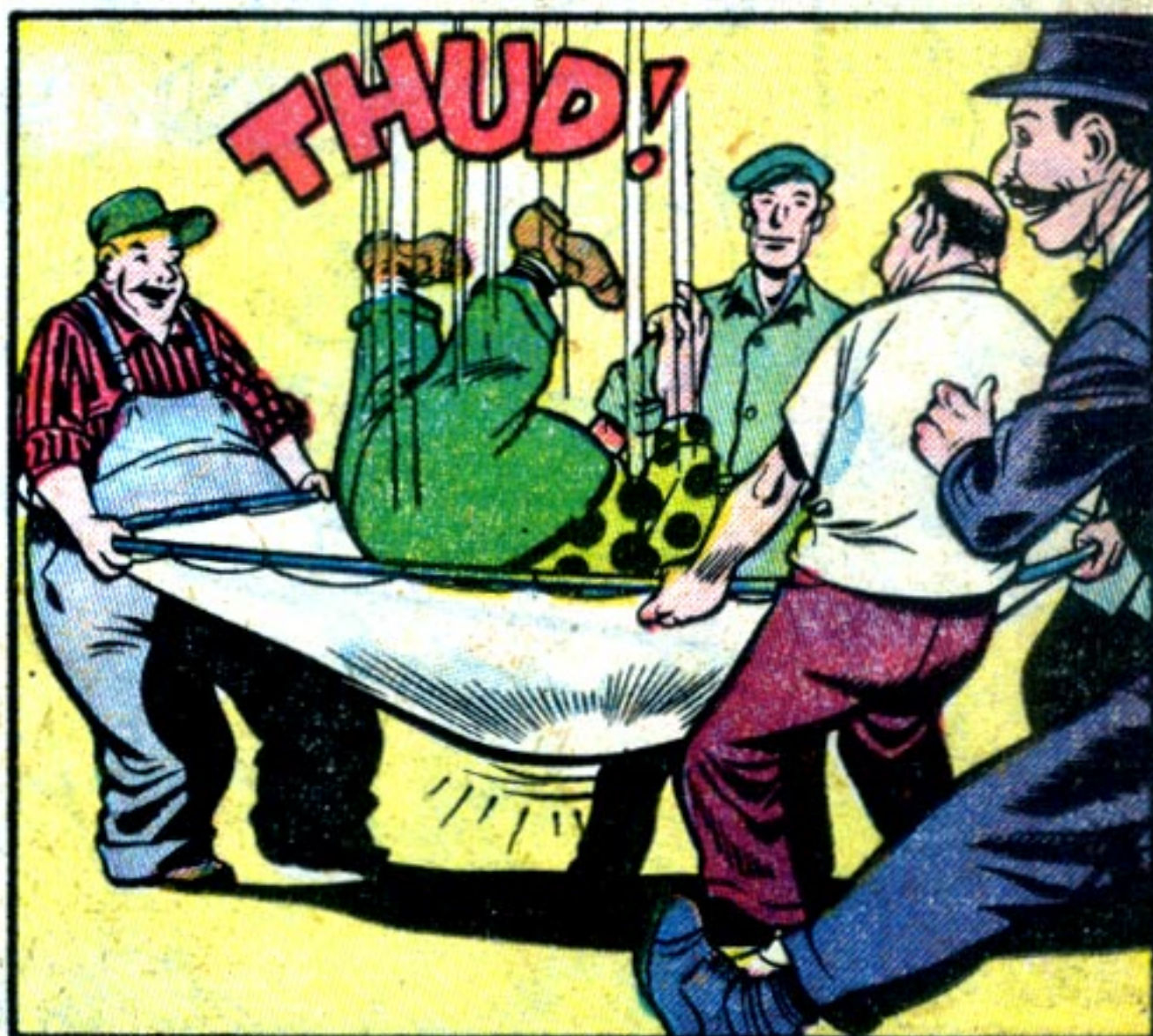


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MOST PEOPLE
COMPLAIN ABOUT
A WOLF AT THE
DOOR... I'VE GOT
A WHOLE PACK
OF THEM RIGHT
IN MY LAP!

THE GREAT OUTDOORS LURES PLASTIC MAN AND WOOLY AND LIFE AMONG THE HE-MEN SEEMS GREAT UNTIL THEY FIND THEY ARE ALSO FACED WITH **WOLF MEN!** SO IT'S "TIMBER" AS DANGER IS ABOUT TO FALL ON OUR TWO ACE INVESTIGATORS!

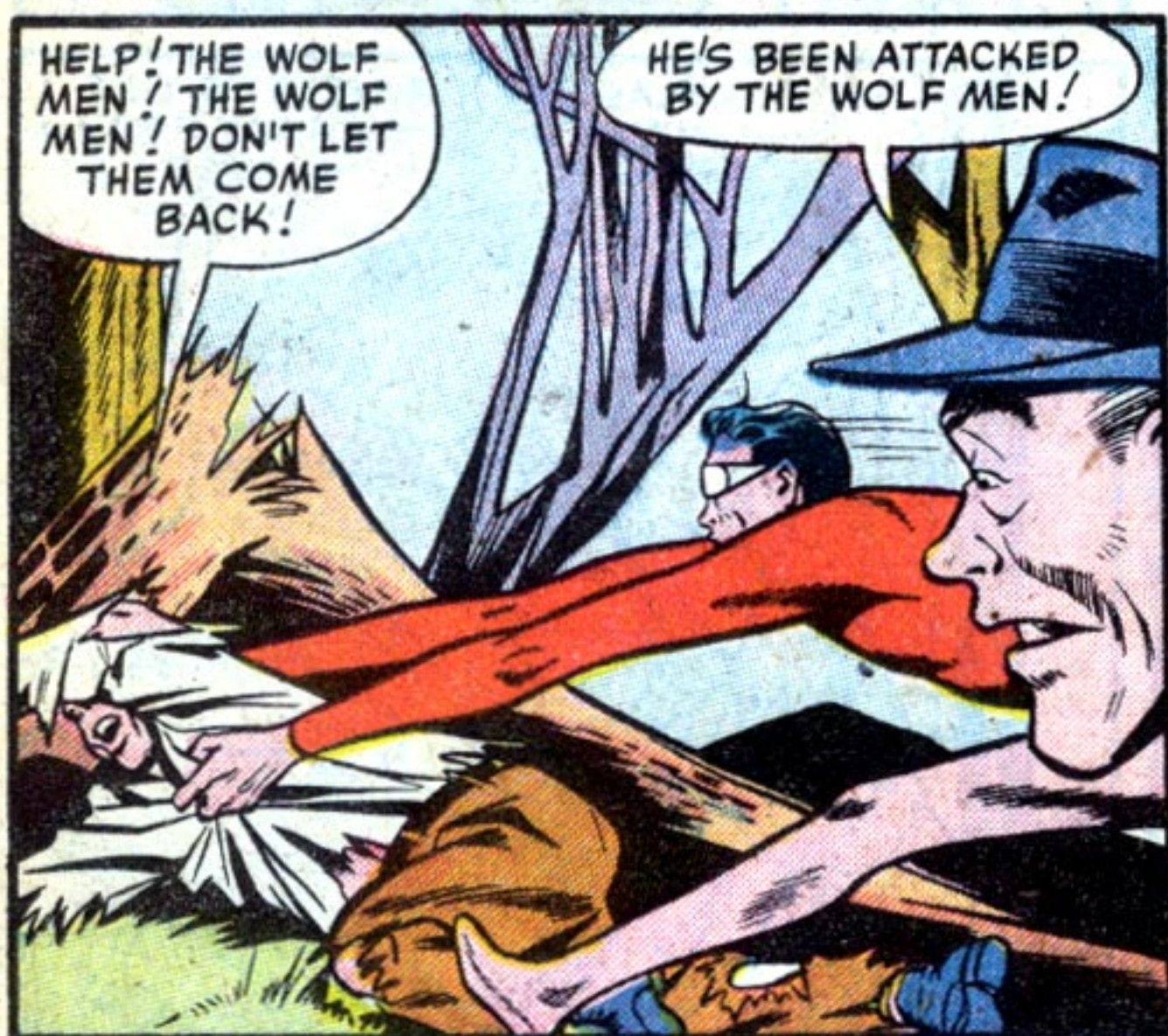
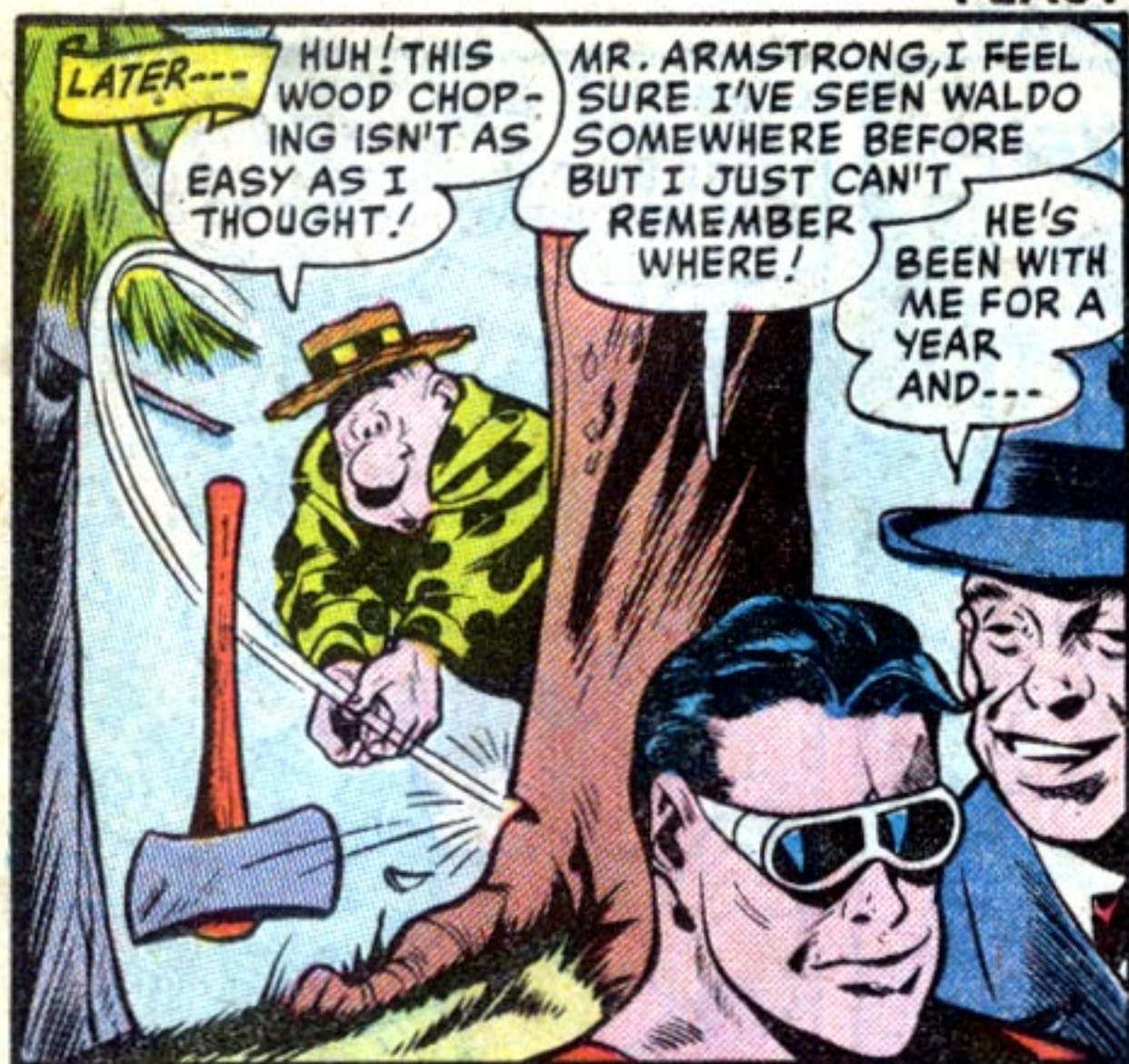
I'M GLAD WE
DECIDED TO
SPEND OUR
VACATION HERE,
PLAS! YOU KNOW,
NORTH WOODS,
REAL HE-MAN
STUFF!

YES, THIS
CERTAINLY
LOOKS LIKE
RUGGED
LIVING!

COME ON!
I'LL SHOW
YOU AROUND
THE PLACE!

...AND I OWE
MOST OF MY
SUCCESS TO
WALDO HERE,
WHO IS THE
FOREMAN
OF THE
CAMP!

I HOPE YOU ENJOY
YOUR VISIT... BUT
REMEMBER TO
DUCK WHEN YOU
HEAR ANYONE
CALL "TIMBER"!



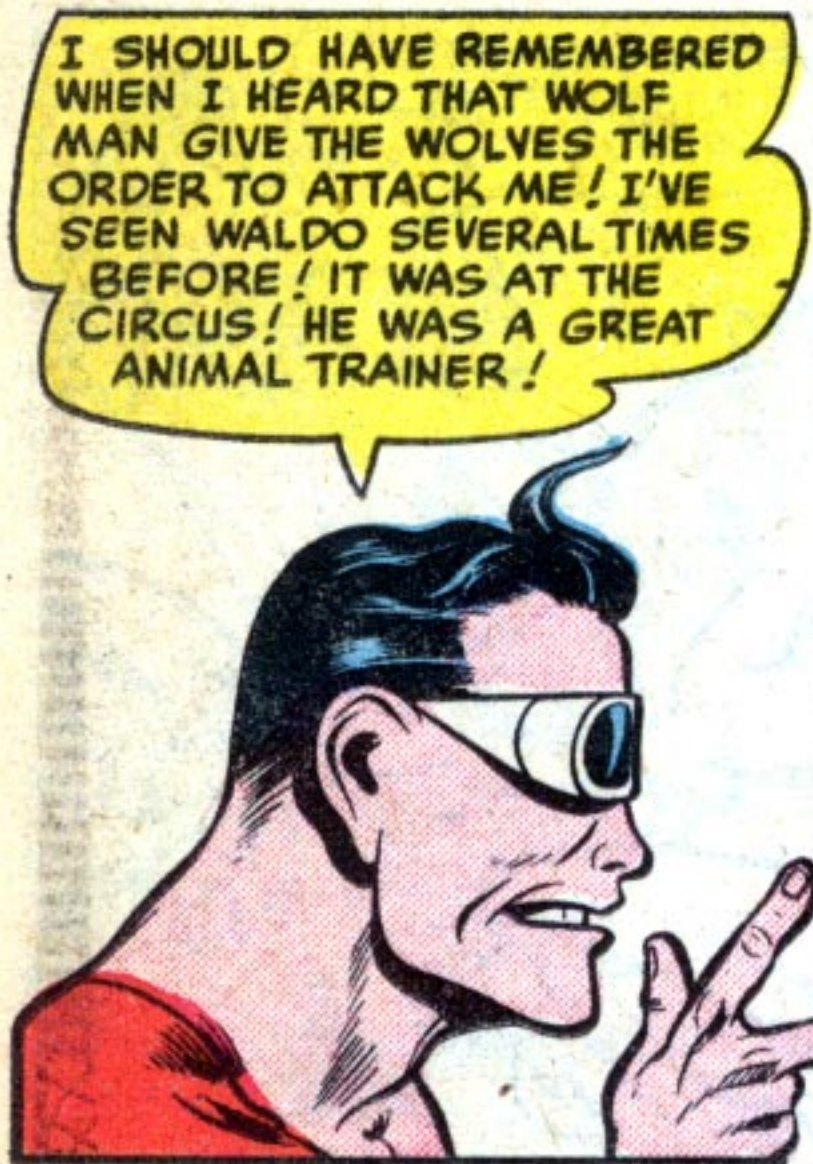
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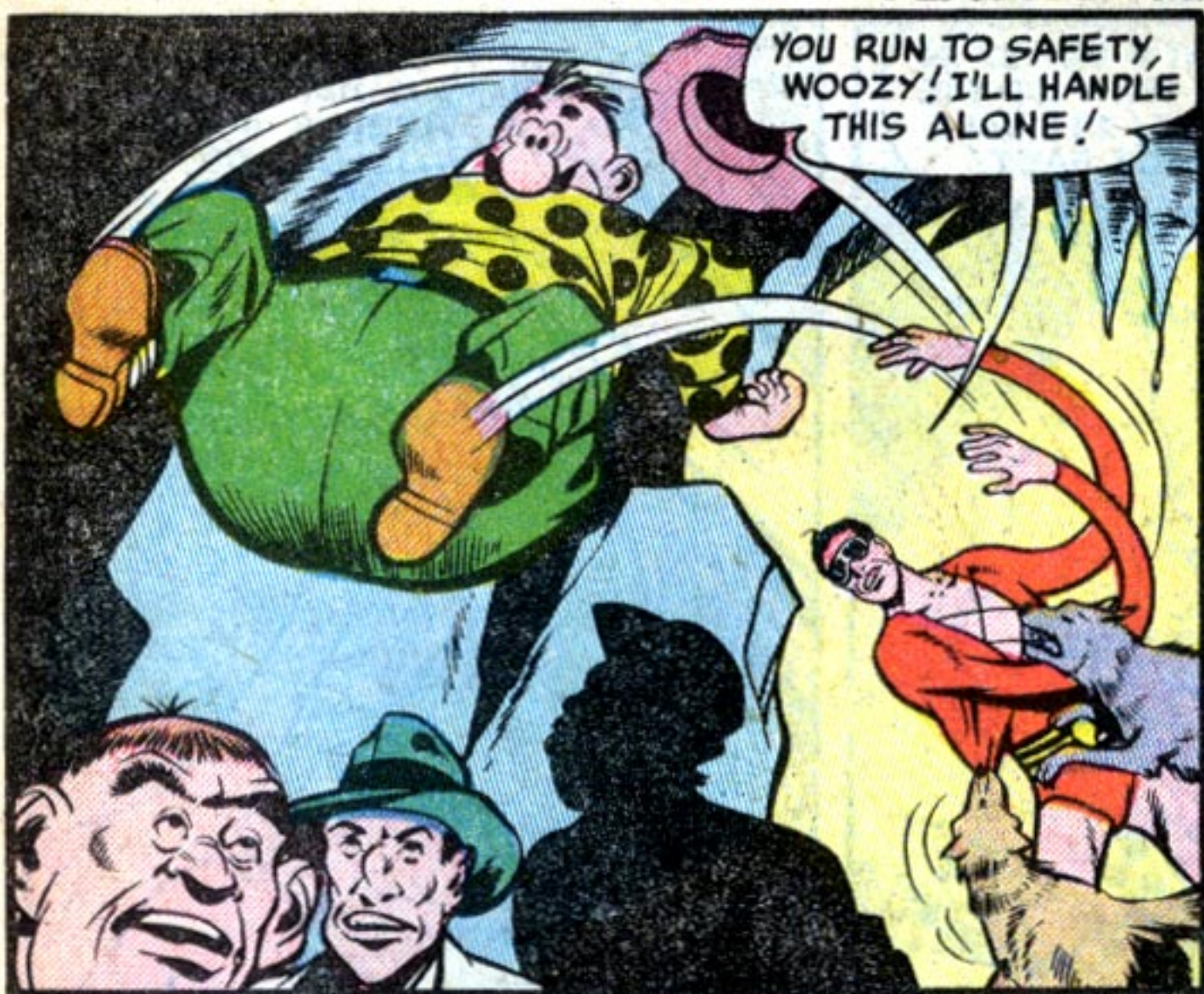
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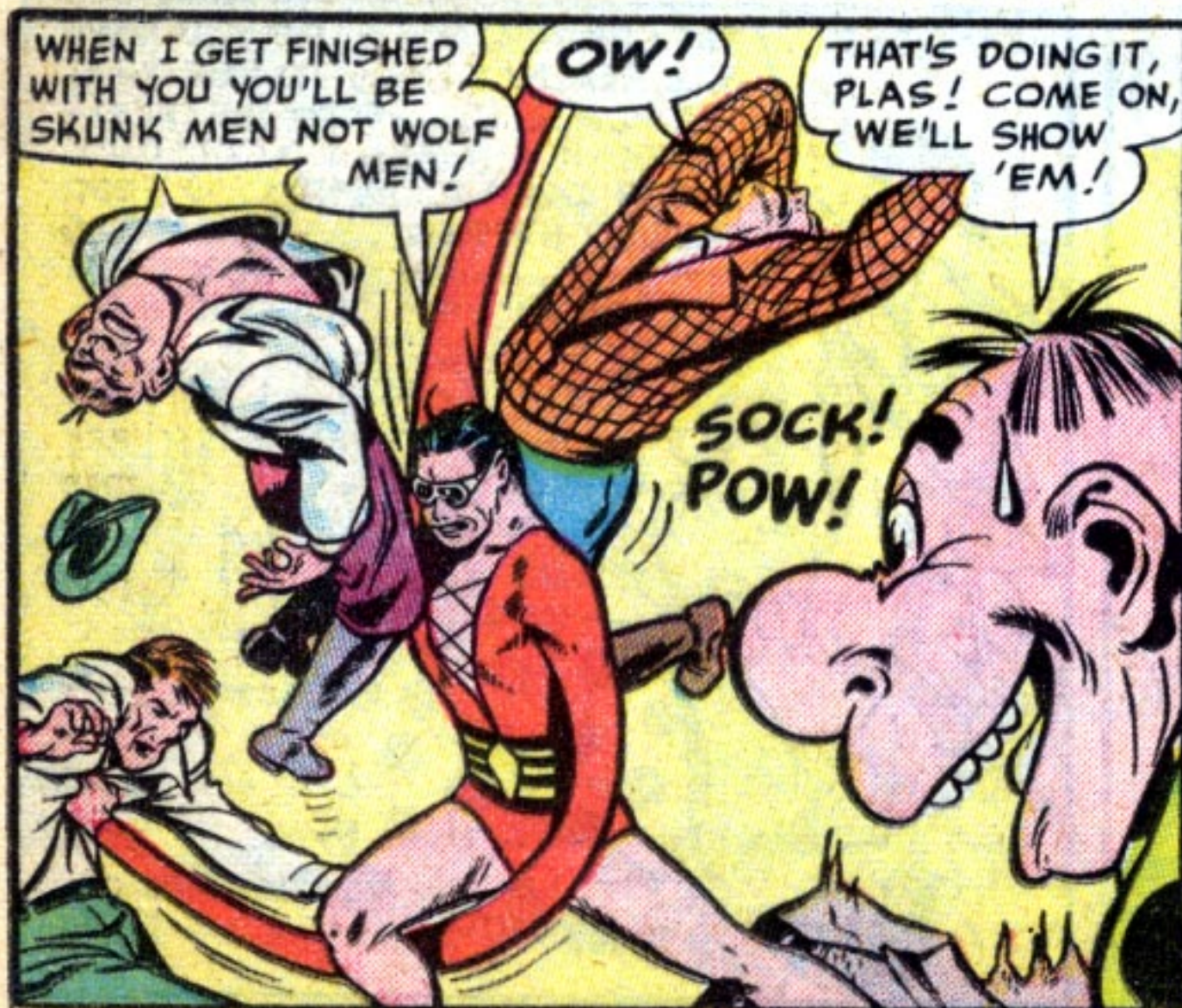
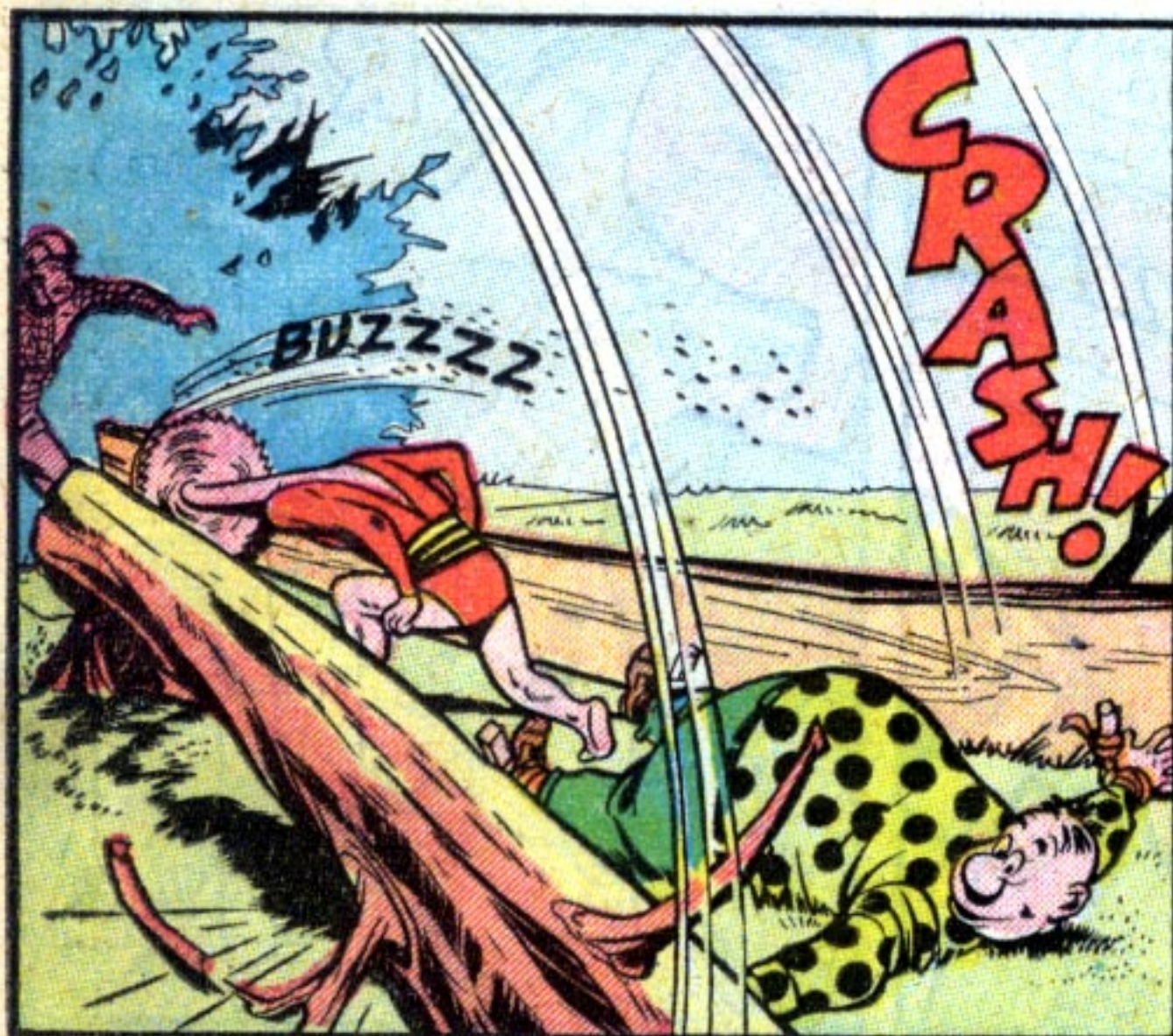
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MIDGE THE MIGHTY

WHIFF and Racksey were lightning-swift experts. Efficiently they had entered the office by a window supposed to be burglar proof. Efficiently they coaxed open a safe supposed to be too complex for anyone to crack without the combination. Inside was the money they'd heard was there—great sheafs and packages of bills. Stuffing these into their pockets, they dropped down from the window sill, to the alley below, and stood suddenly quiet, glaring at the little fellow who watched them.

He was a shabby four feet of stature, with projecting ears, a freckled face, and a bundle of school books under his arm.

Whiff put a big hand on the gun inside his coat. "What are you doing here, bub?" he growled.

"Hiding," said the little fellow.

"Hiding from what?" snarled Racksey.

"The truant officer. I've run off from that school forever."

"Schoolboy, huh?" Whiff felt better. "What's your name?"

"Midge. I was sent from the orphan asylum to that old school, but I ain't going no more. I'm running away."

Racksey had an inspiration. If police searched for safe-robbers, they might overlook two quiet gentlemen accompanied by a child. "How would you like to go with us, Midge?"

The freckled face grimaced, the head shook. "Nope. I'm going to be a pirate, or a cattle rustler or a safe cracker."

That got through to Whiff. "Safe cracker? You want to join a gang of crooks?"

"Sure I do. That's my ambition," said Midge stoutly.

"You came to the right place. We're safe-crackers. We belong to a top gang."

"No kidding, Mister?"

"Honest, kid. Look." Whiff flashed a handful of the stolen money. "Stick to us, we'll train you up to be a boss operator."

"Gee! That'd be swell!"

He walked along the street between them, plainly happy. At the next corner, Slippy was waiting in the getaway car.

"Who's that punk kid?" demanded Slippy. "Get rid of him."

"No, he'll be useful," demurred Racksey. "Into the car, Midge."

They drove along side streets and around business centers to the edge of town, to the quiet, respectable-seeming house which no policeman could possibly think was a nest of dar-

ing and successful criminals. Once inside, they reported to Craley, the enigmatic and gentlemanly master mind. He checked the packages of bills, and nodded cool approval. But when he heard of Midge, he frowned.

"That was a fool thing to do," he said. "Ring-ing a kid in here. He'll spill to the first cop he sees."

"He's on the lam, too," explained Whiff. "Ran away from school. And look, Boss, he's a smart little apple. Don't forget, we got to train up new members of the gang."

"Send him in," ordered Craley, and Whiff obeyed. Midge stood before Craley's desk, quiet and hopeful. Craley studied him with wise eyes.

"So," said Craley, "you want to get into the racket, huh?"

"Sure do, Mister. I can be useful. I can carry messages, throw cops off the trail, run errands, work codes—"

"Codes?" repeated Craley. "Can you figure this one?"

He laid a piece of paper before Midge. "This," said Craley, "is a code our gang uses, and no cop has ever worked it. If you can learn the key and rush secret messages to our pals in other places, you'll be plenty of use to us."

"Thanks," said Midge, in a grownup voice. He snatched the paper. "That's what I came for."

"Give that code back, kid!" Craley yelled, and grabbed for Midge. The little fellow stood on tip-toe and knocked Craley kicking. The noise brought Whiff in—a twist and tripping kick, and Midge flung him across Craley's body. Then came a thundering attack on the door, and the police rushed in.

"We followed your signals from the car, Midge," said the sergeant in command, as they rounded up the frightened crooks.

"And here," said Midge, "is the code we need to trace their other gangs." He helped Craley stand up again. "Get that fake money back from Whiff and Racksey. We can bait more traps with it."

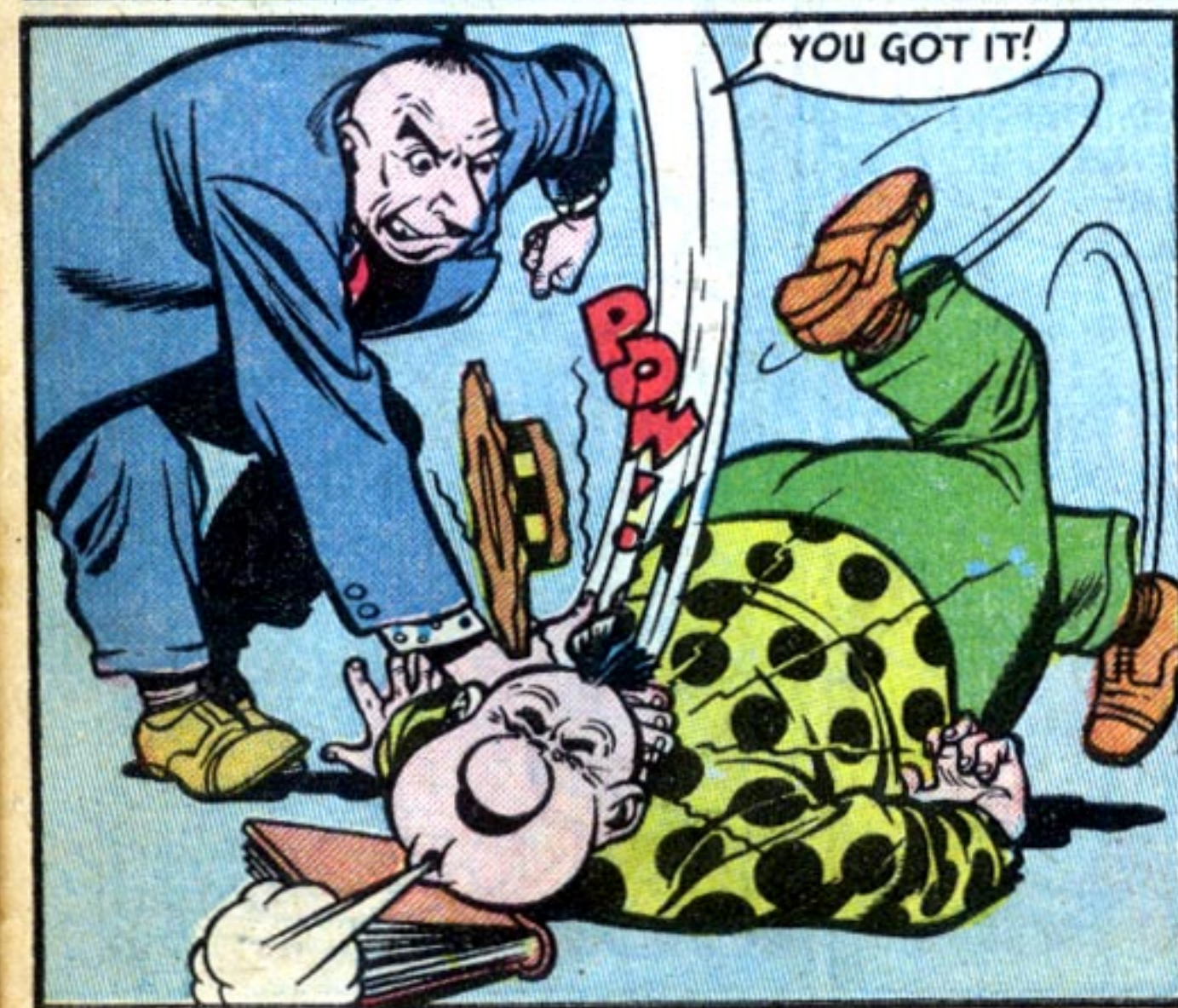
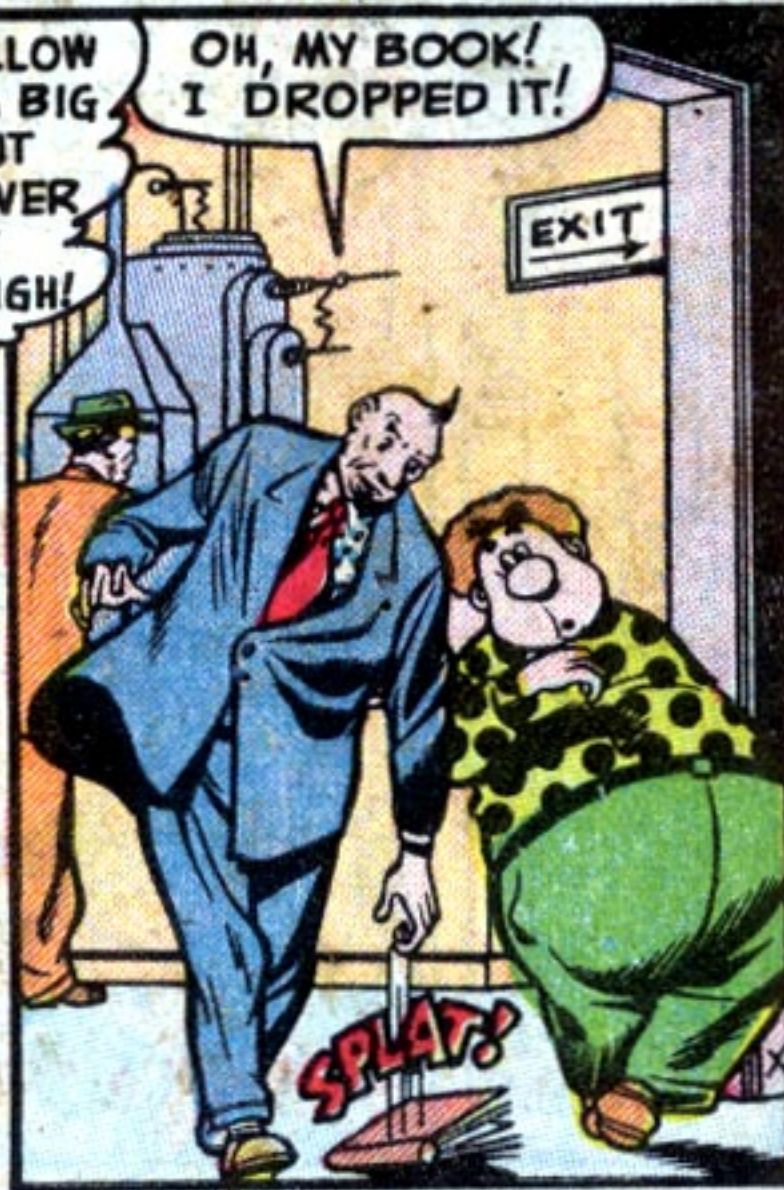
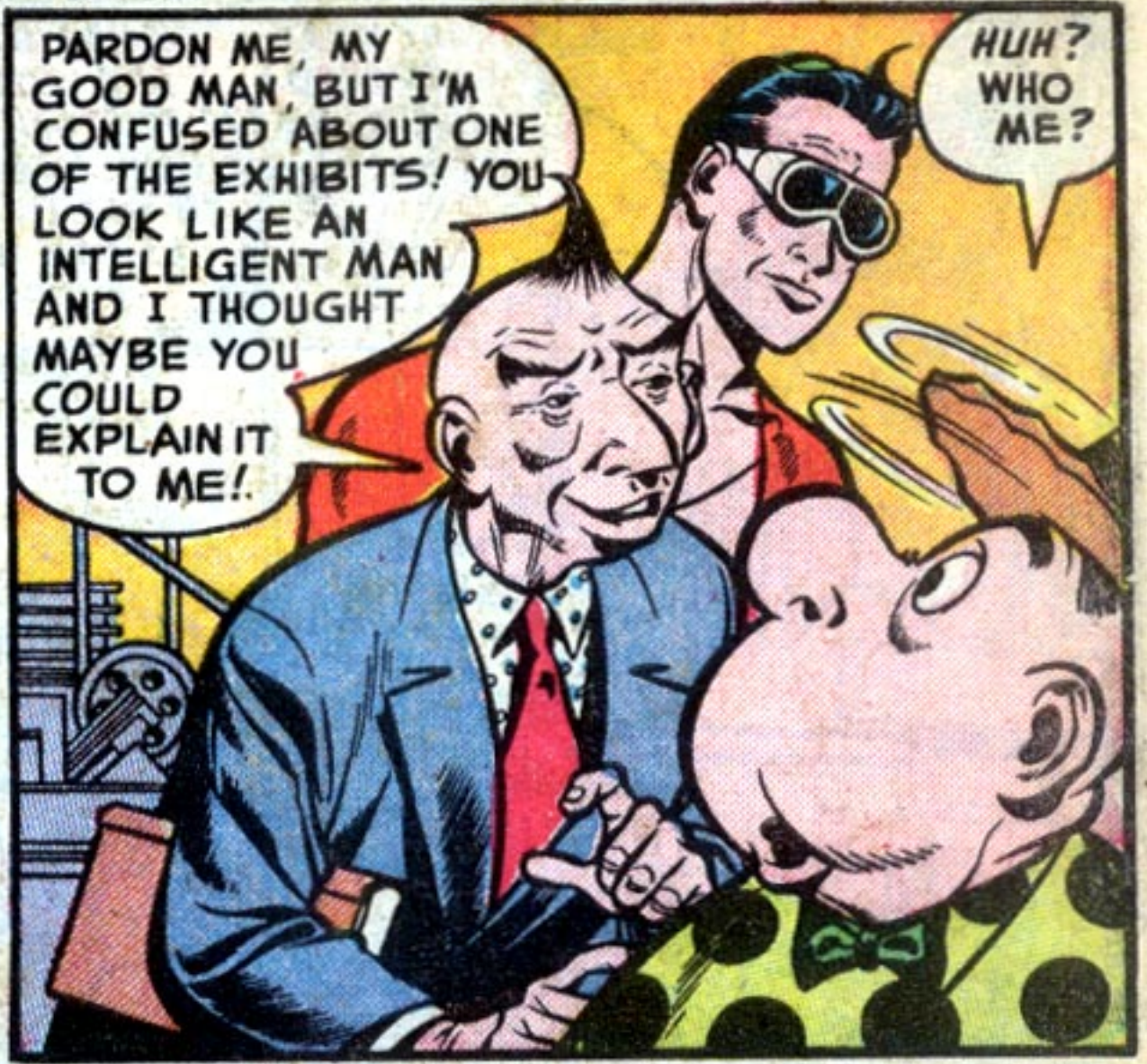
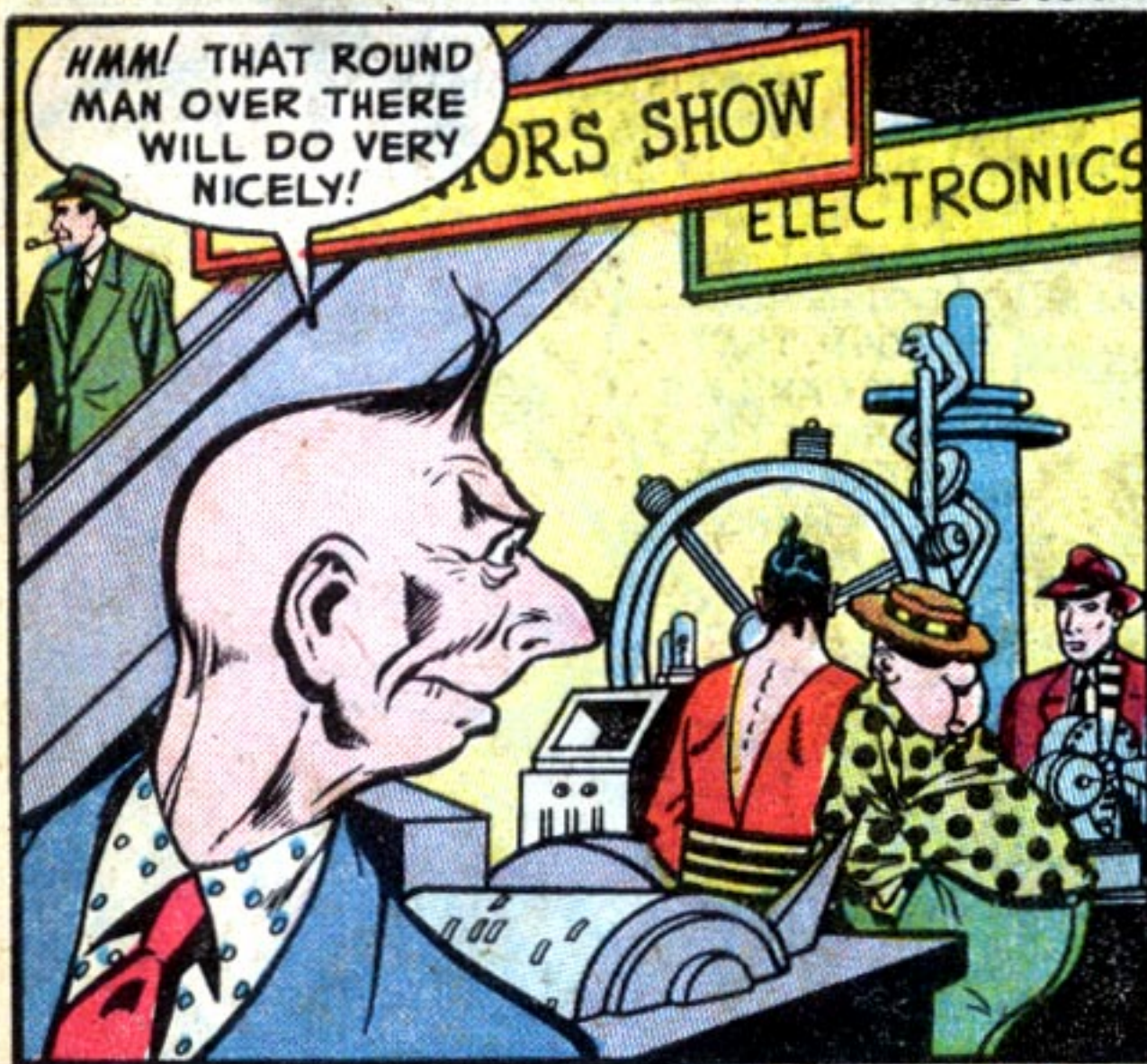
"Who's this kid?" spluttered Craley. "How old is the little squirt?"

"Twenty-eight," replied the sergeant. "He's Midge Pulham, the smallest detective on the force. Used to be the strong man with a midget troupe in the circus. Now that I've told you, we'll have to lock you up quick. Midge is going to play runaway schoolboy to catch plenty more criminals."

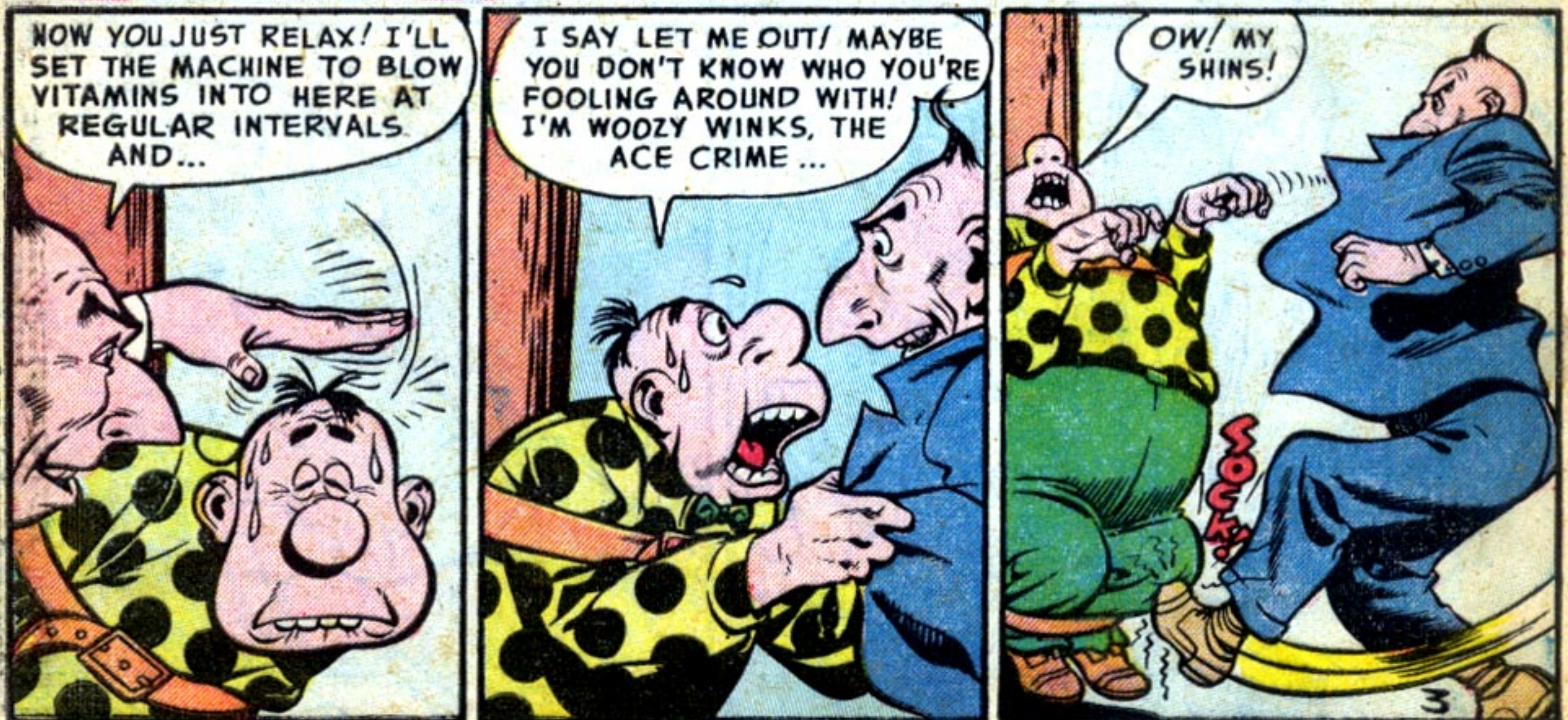
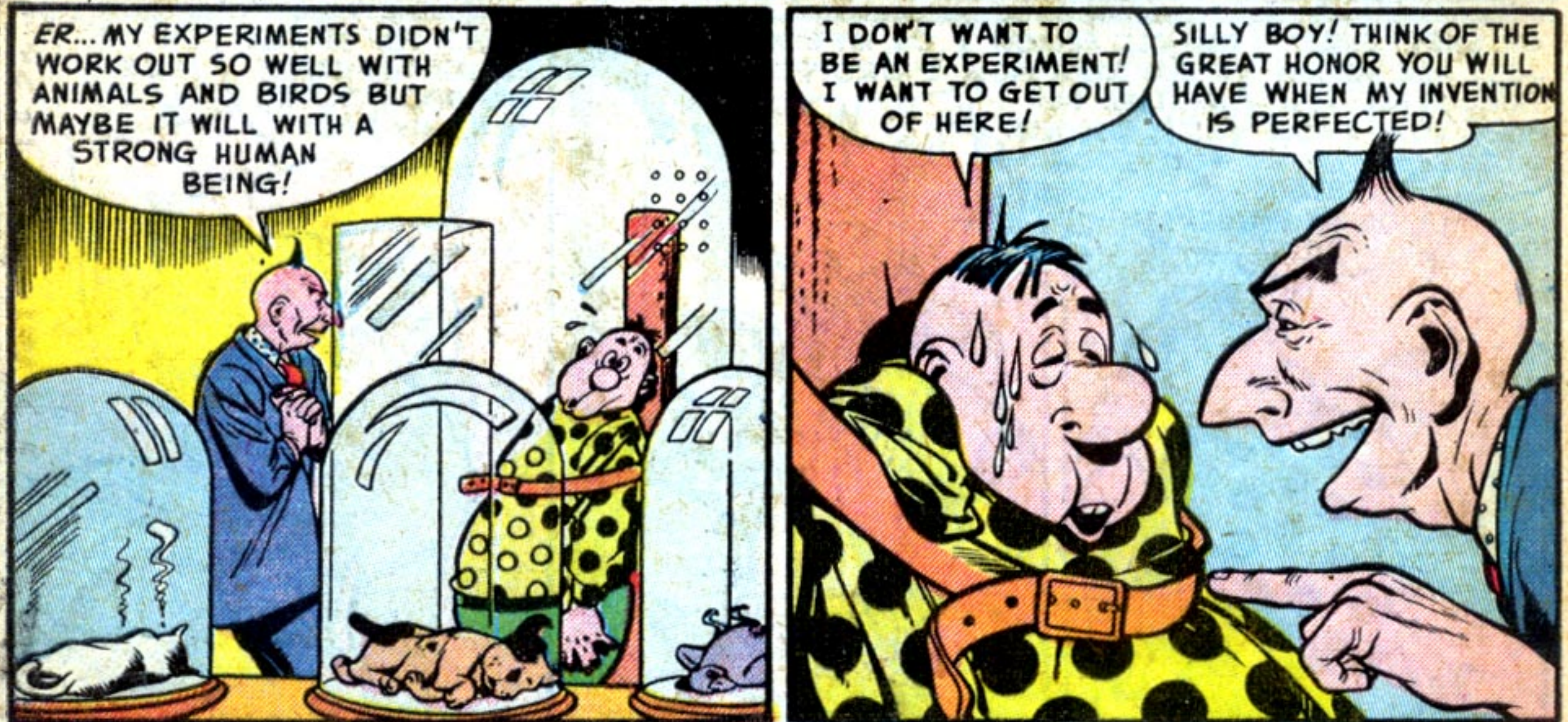
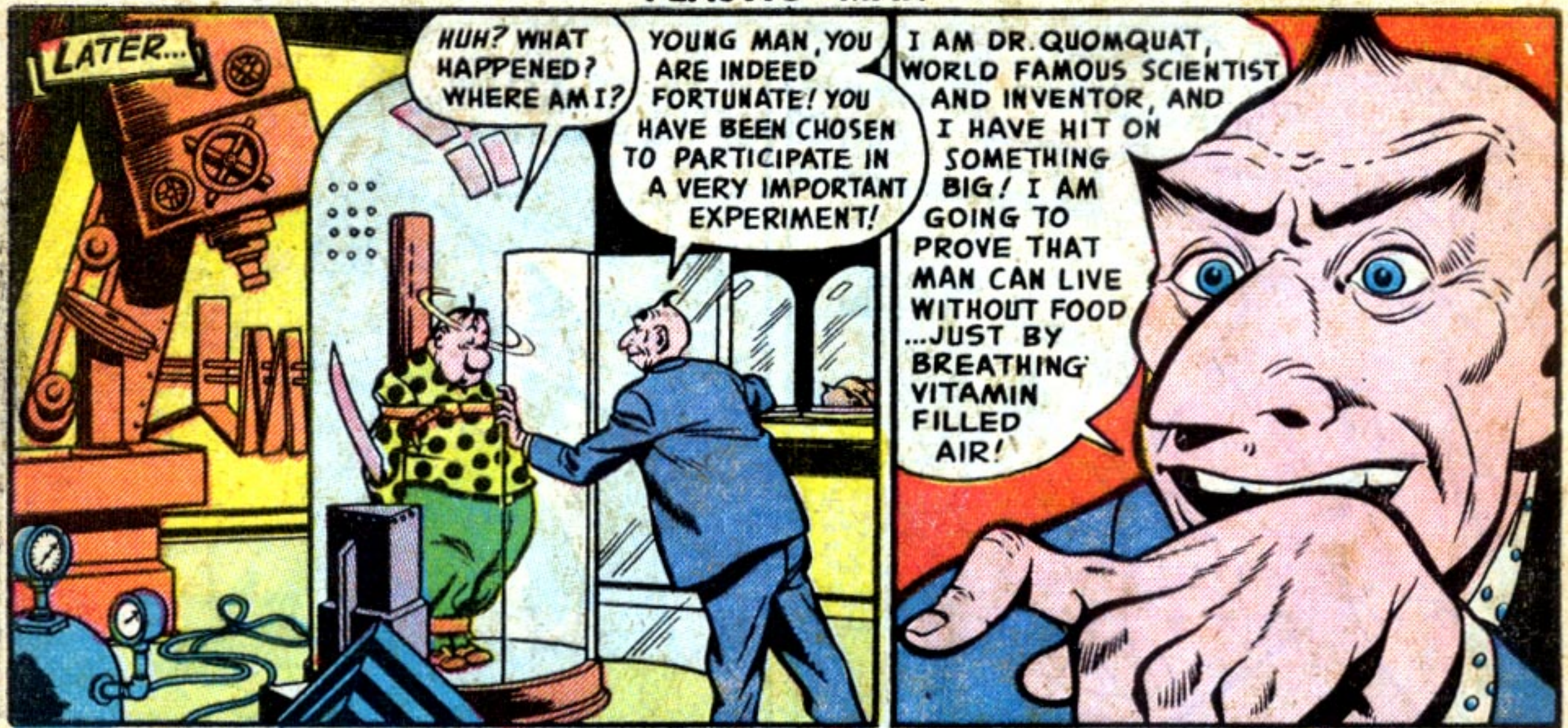
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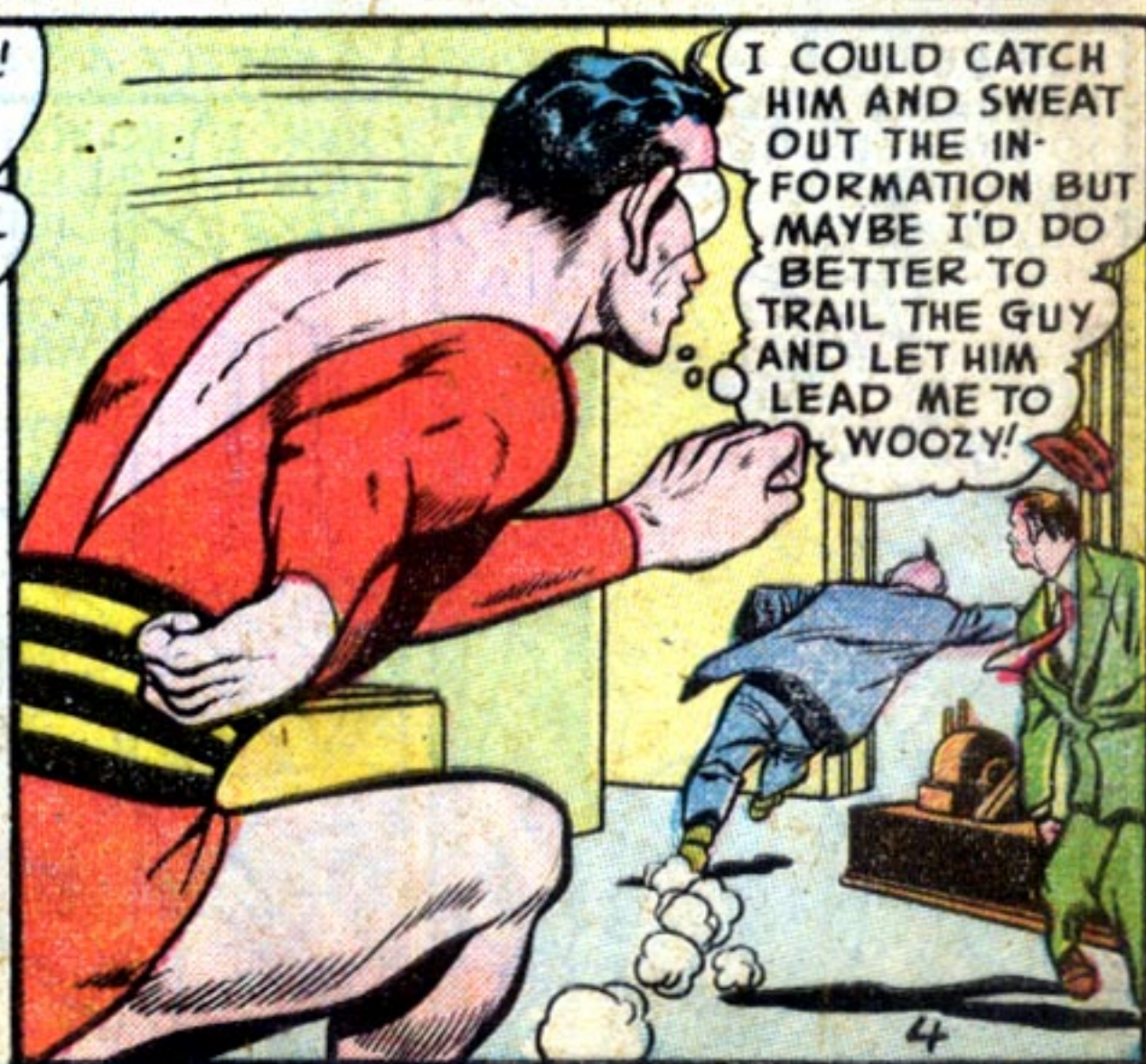


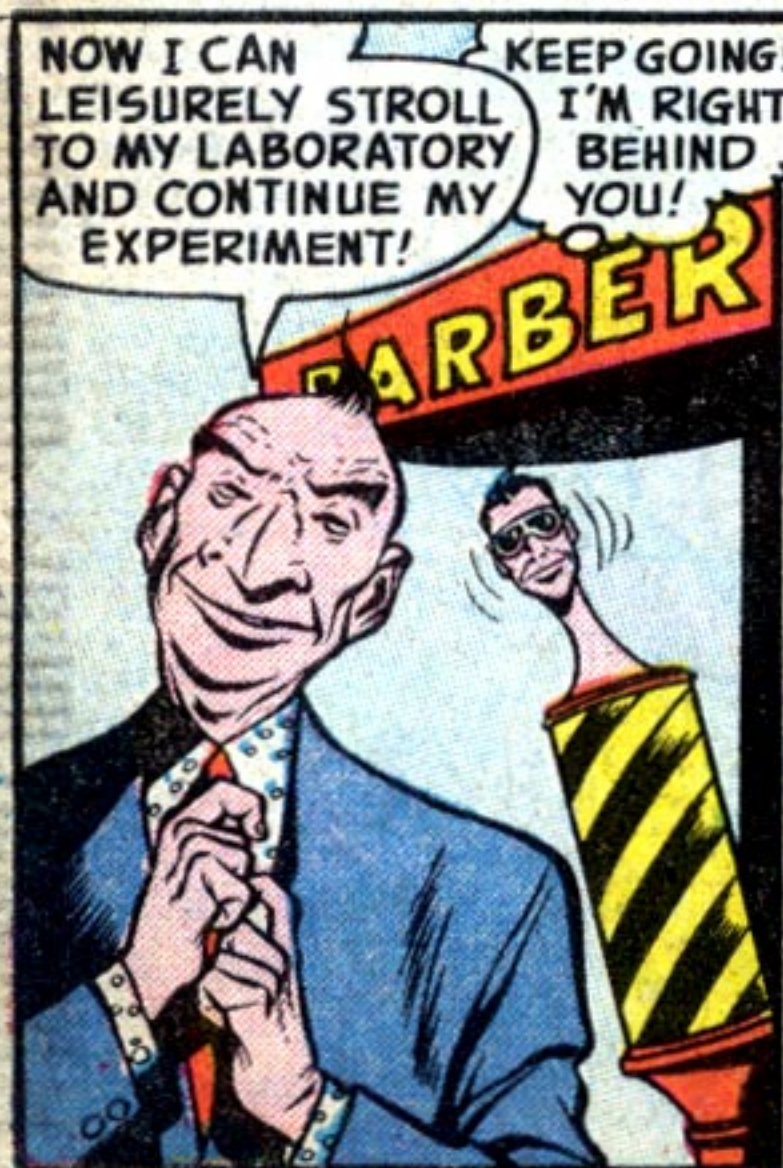
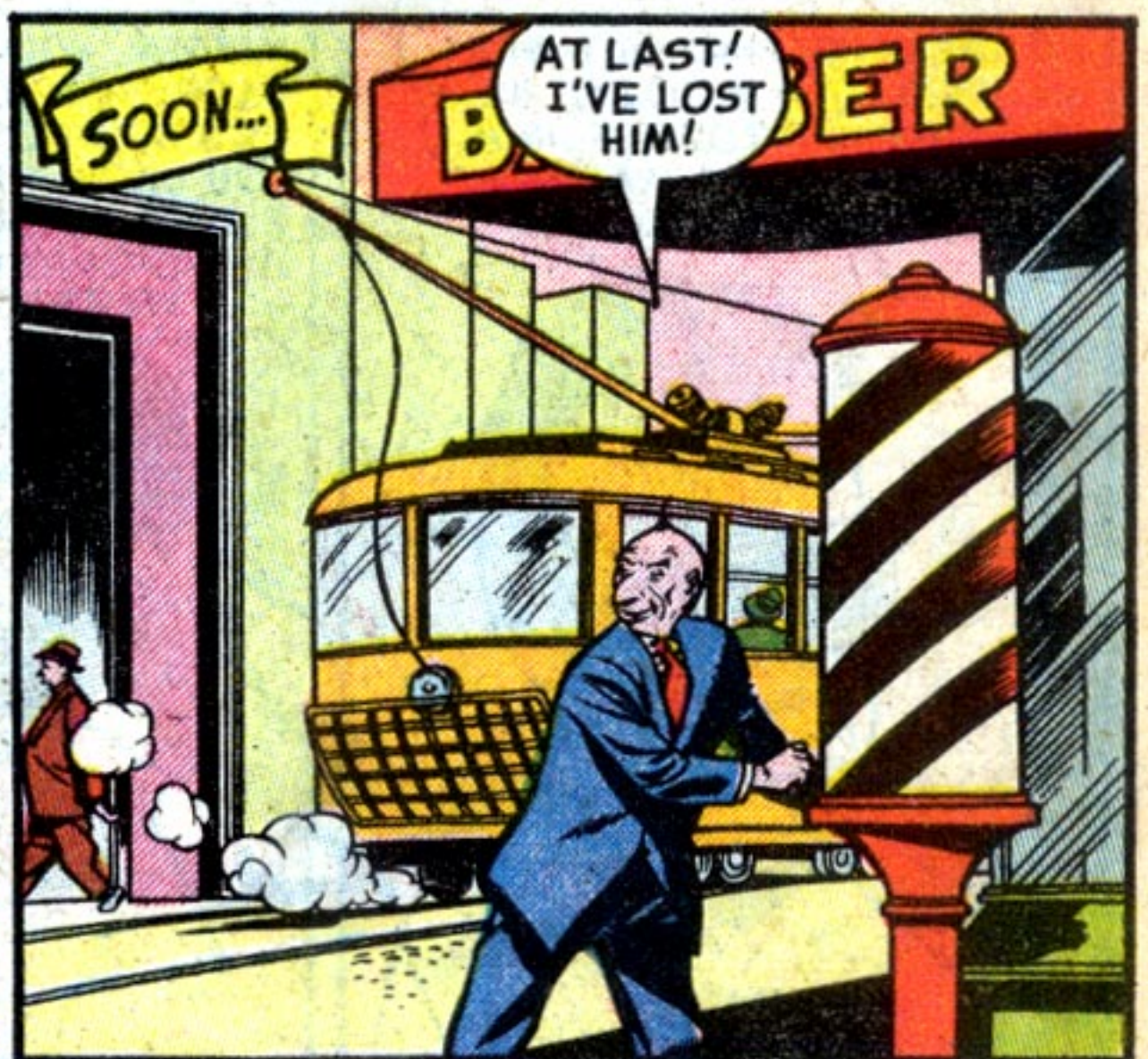
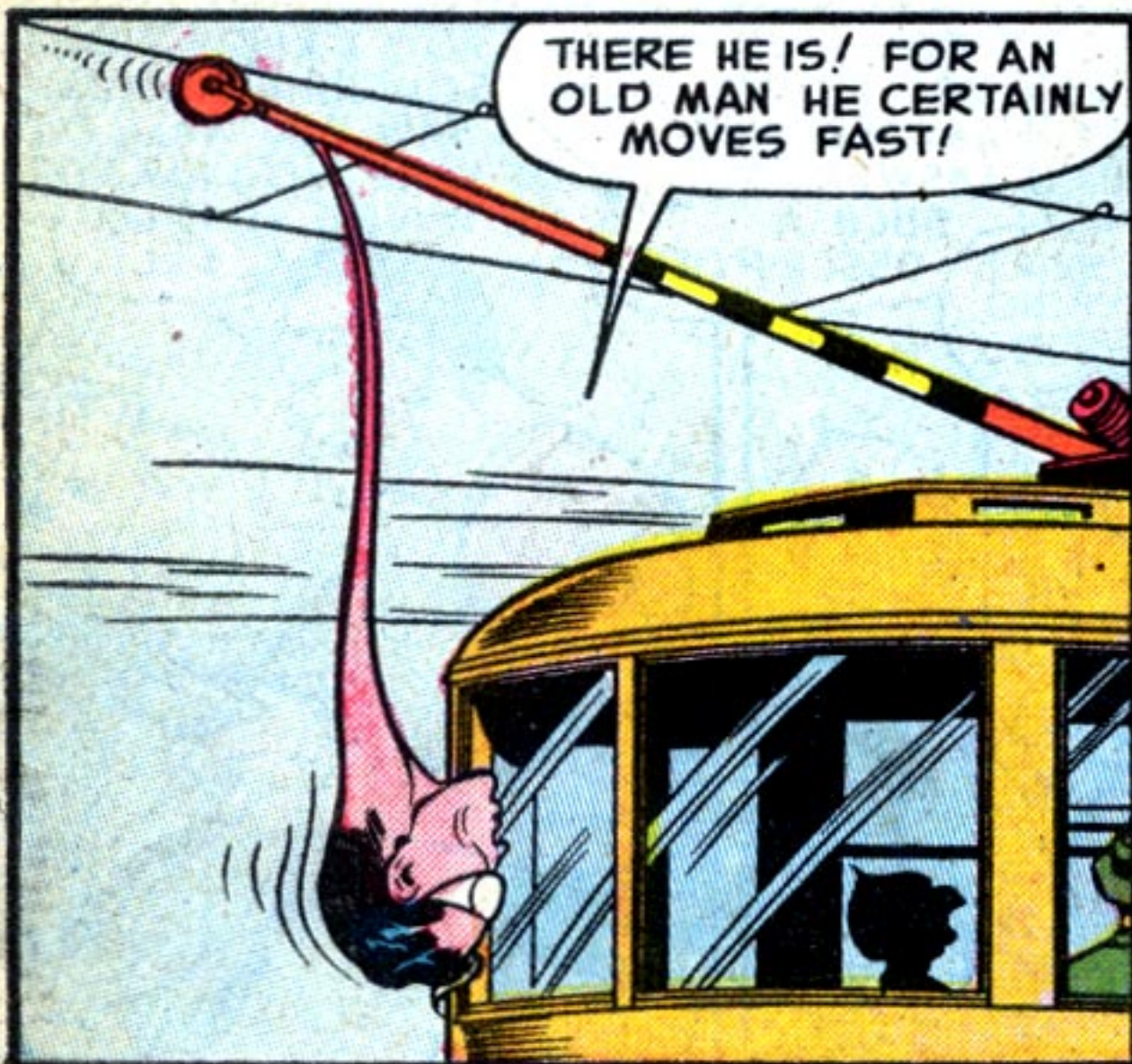
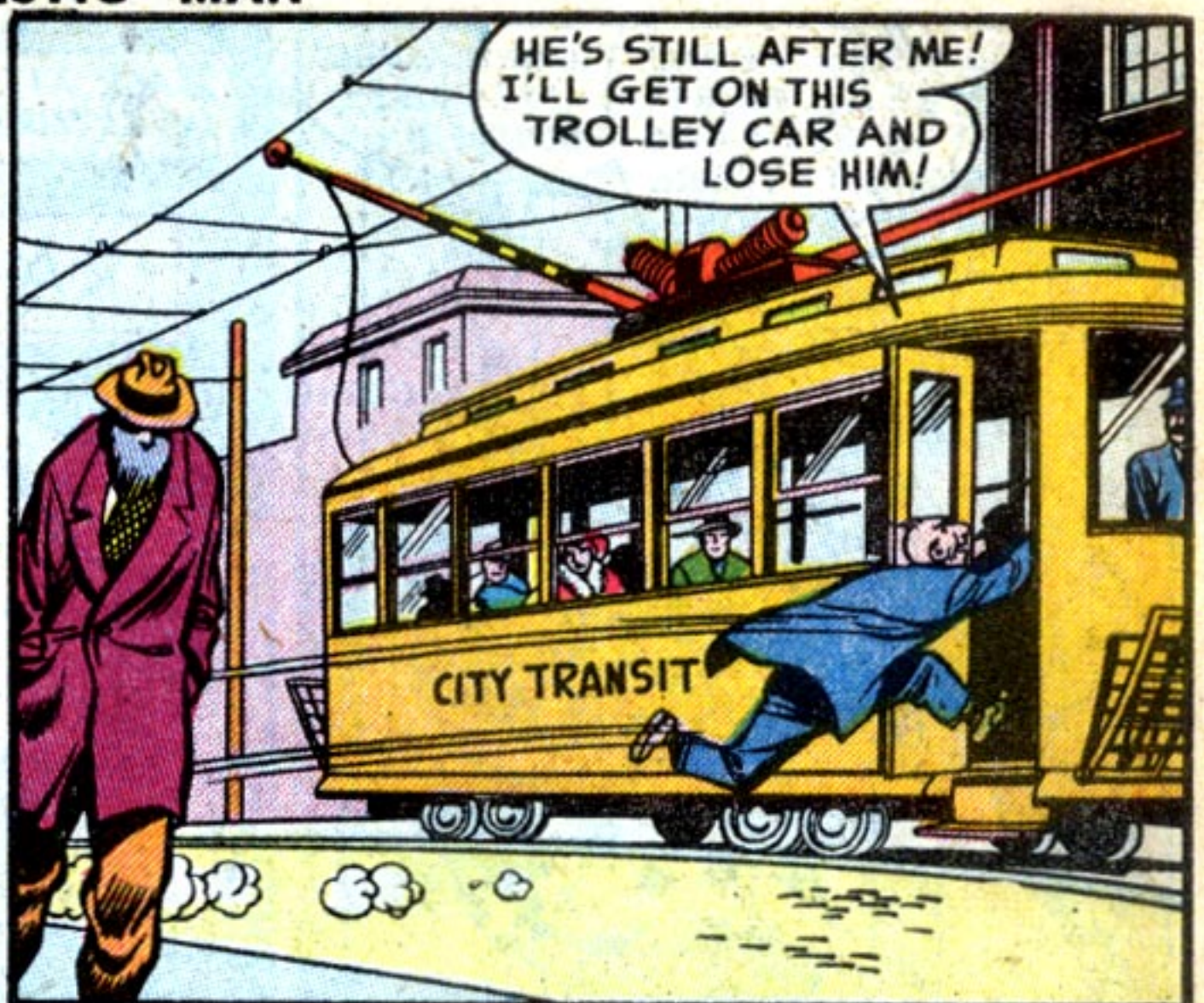
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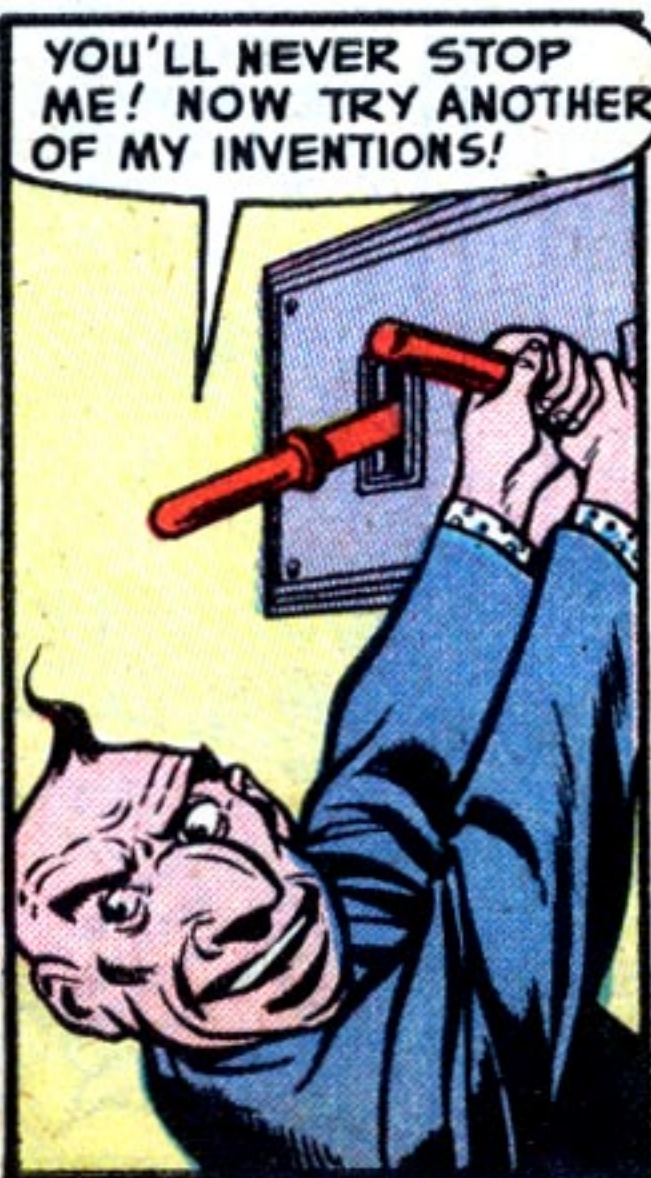
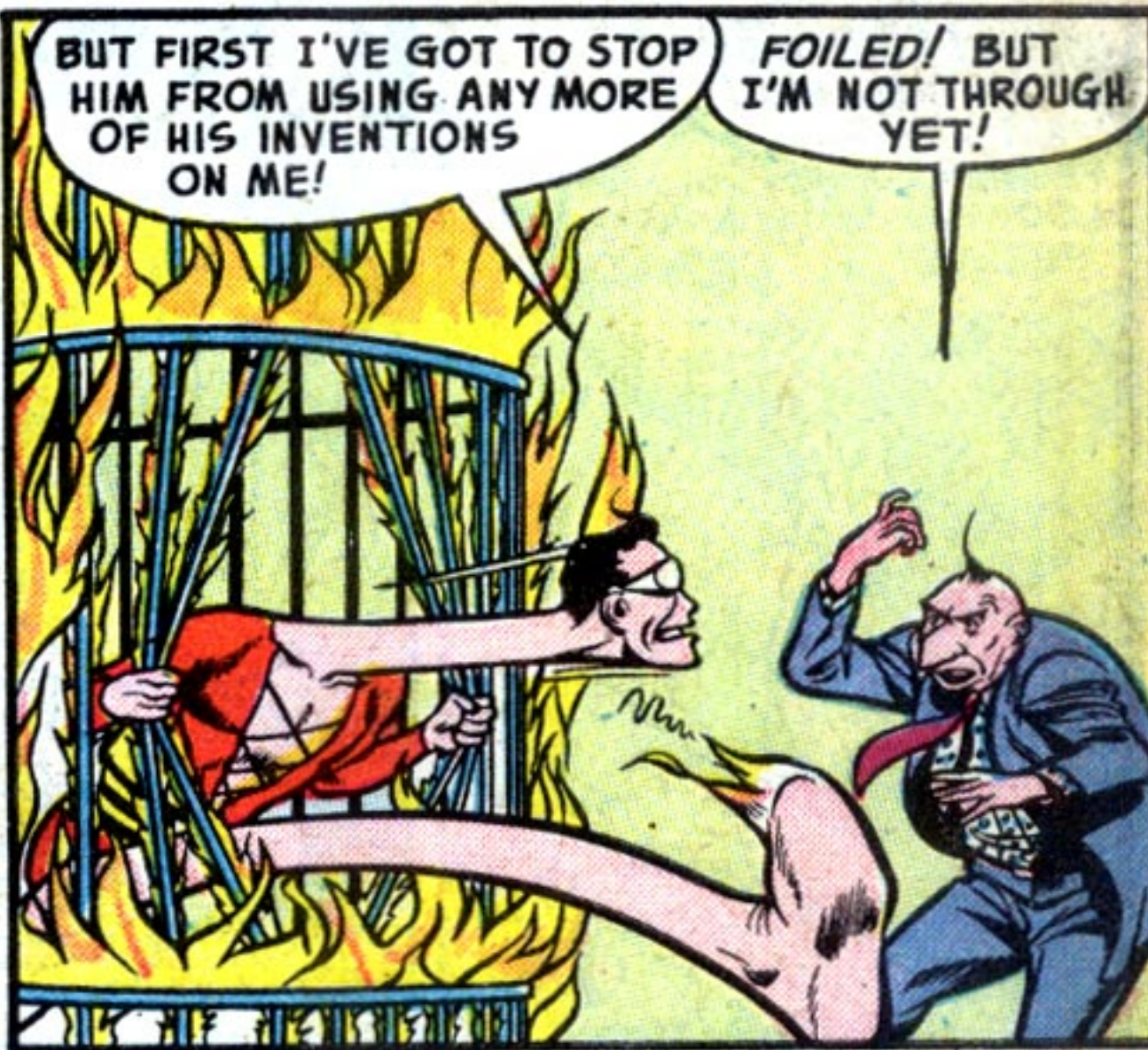
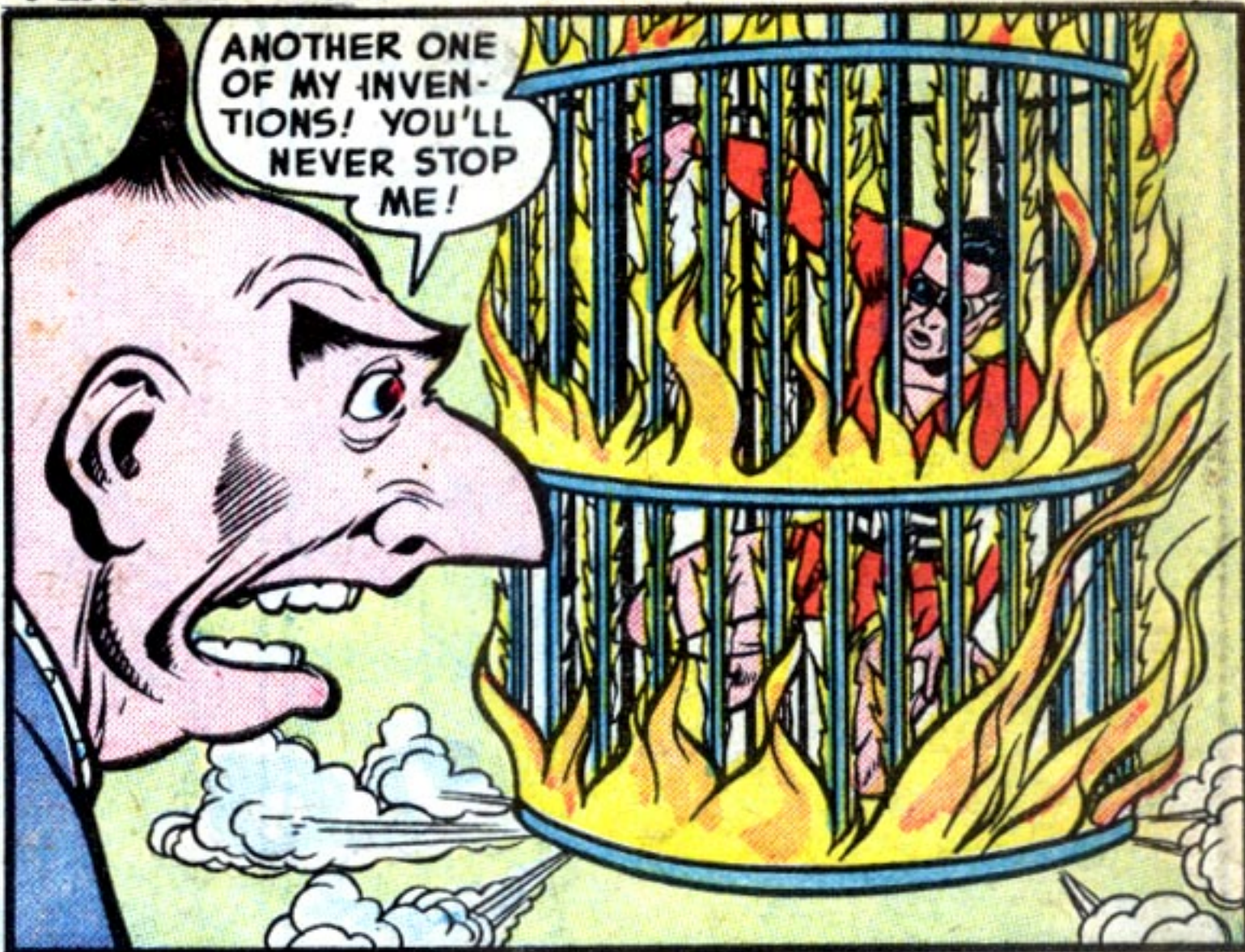
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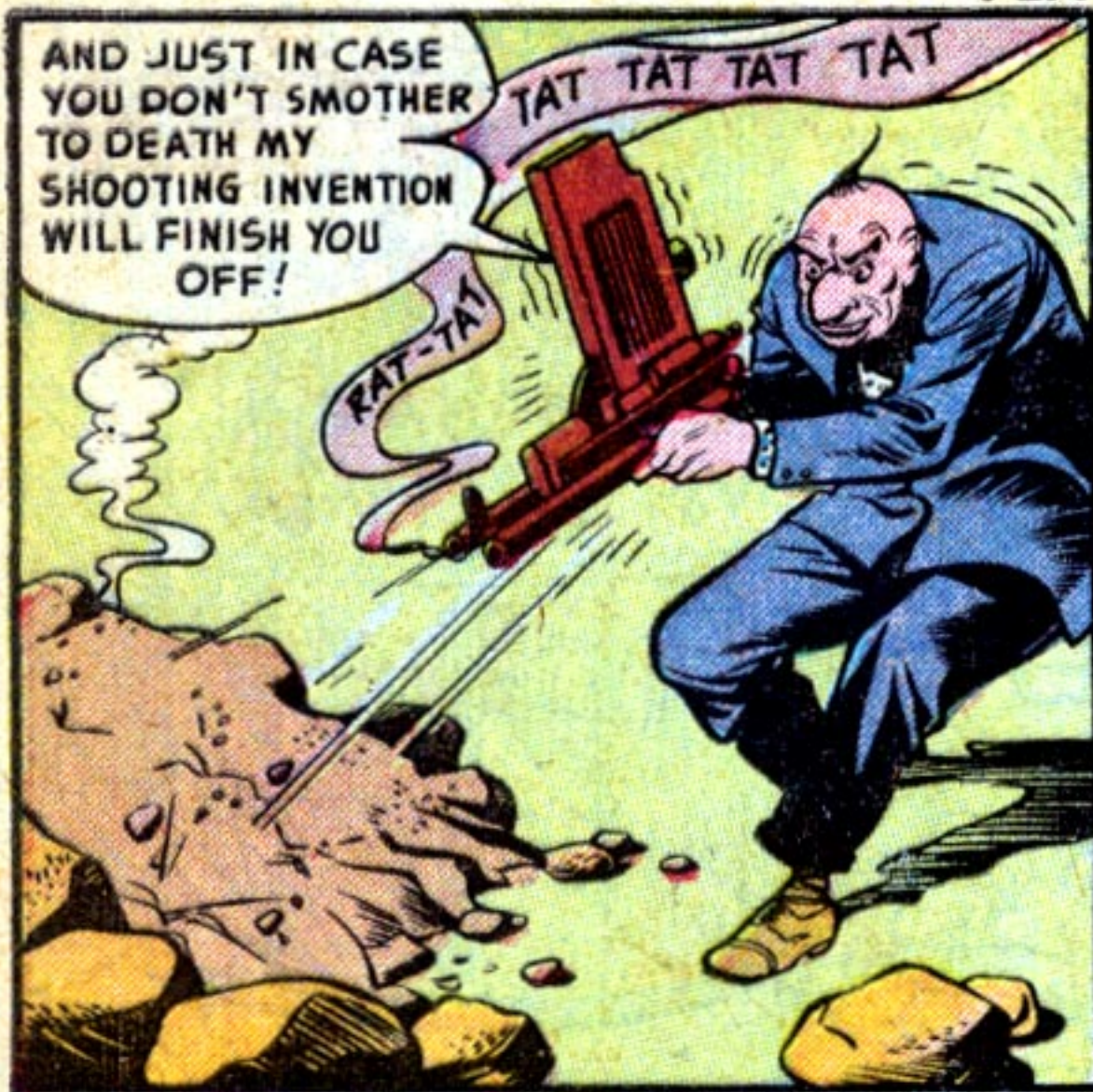




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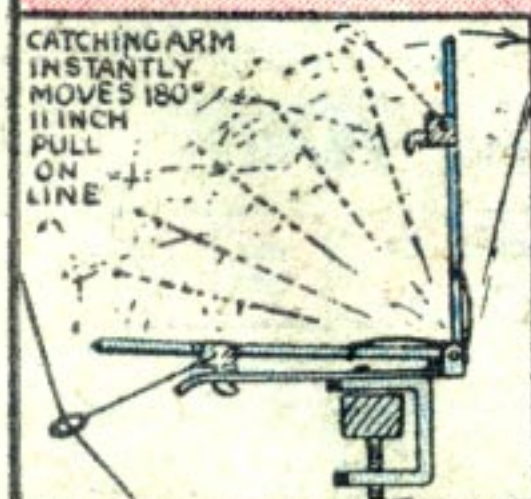
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